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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEASURE FOR ANNEXATION GOES TO HOUSE

GRANT BOULEVARD DEAL WINS; THE BIG SCANDAL IS SMOTHERED

NEWS SUMMARY

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FOREIGN.

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THE WEATHER

Fair.

Fair today and tomorrow is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 45 and the minimum 31 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 7:33 a. m., and set clear at 5:33 p. m. yesterday. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather
8 a.m.	30.22	32	69	W.	12	Cloudy.
8 p.m.	30.14	40	61	S.W.	14	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for January 29:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	45	20	Mean	38	10
Minimum	31	0	Precipitation	0	0
Nor. temp. 31 yrs..	33		Nor. precip. 31 yrs..	.16	
Excess for day.....	5		Dfcy. for day.....	.10	
Exc. since Jan. 1..	212		Dfcy. since Jan. 1..	1.11	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; fresh west winds.

West Virginia—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

St. Louis	54	Clear	Concordia	46	Cloudy
Columbus	40	Clear	Indianapolis	42	Clear
Dubuque	40	Clear	New Orleans	58	Clear
Peoria	49	Clear	Galveston	56	Clear
Chicago	44	Clear	Palestine	64	Clear
Omaha	48	Clear	Marquette	44	Clear
New York	34	Clear	Yellowstone	32	Cloudy
Nashville	52	Clear	Louisville	44	Clear
San Antonio	64	Clear	Shreveport	60	Clear
Wichita	58	PtCldy	Montgomery	60	Clear
Abilene	62	PtCldy	Little Rock	58	Clear
Amarillo	54	Cloudy	Gd. Junction	38	Clear
Cairo	52	Clear	North Platte	42	Clear
El Paso	56	Cloudy	Valentine	40	Clear
Buffalo	36	Clear	Dodge City	60	Cloudy
Cleveland	38	Clear	Rapid City	32	PtCldy
Duluth	34	Cloudy	Norfolk	40	Clear
Huron	36	Clear	Jacksonville	64	Clear
St. Paul	36	Clear	*Los Angeles	44	Cloudy
Helena	44	Cloudy	*Boston	16	Clear
Havre	30	Clear	Cincinnati	38	Clear
Bismarck	30	Clear	Gd. Rapids	42	Clear
Atlanta	54	Clear	Spring'd, Ill.	44	Clear
Memphis	58	Clear	Davenport	42	PtCldy
Vicksburg	58	Clear	Washington	28	Clear
Ft. Smith	60	Clear	Des Moines	68	PtCldy
Oklahoma	36	Clear	Parkersburg	40	Clear
Lander	24	Clear	Philadelphia	36	Clear
Denver	46	Clear	Baltimore	40	Clear
Pueblo	48	Clear	Gd. Haven	40	Clear
Santa Fe	40	Cloudy	Chattanooga	50	Clear
Salt Lake	24	Cloudy	Spring'd, Mo.	52	Clear
Modena	28	Cloudy	Kansas City	54	Clear

*Observations taken at 8 a. m.

Worth Knowing

that Allcock's are the original and genuine porous plasters; all others are imitations.

MAKING EFFORT TO KILL BILL FOR GREATER PITTSBURGH

Allegheny Politicians Want the Effect Deferred Until 1909.

GOING TO CAPITAL

Judge Rogers and Sheriff Dickson Are Said to Desire Amendments.

COOK MEASURE REPORTED

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Jan 29.—There is reason for believing than an effort is to be made to kill the Greater Pittsburgh movement by placing amendments in the chamber of commerce bill which would prevent the act from becoming operative before April, 1909. Should this scheme succeed a few politicians will have triumphed over the will of the vast majority of the citizens of Pittsburgh and Allegheny.

Richard M. Kopp of Allegheny came here tonight. According to his story, he is to be followed in the morning by other North Side men, notably former Judge Elliott Rodgers and Sheriff James W. Dickson. Their coming is said to be for the purpose of amending the chamber of commerce bill. They do not want a Greater Pittsburgh until after the mayor chosen in Allegheny next month shall have finished his term.

Representative L. B. Cook, who has the chamber of commerce bill in charge, is not here tonight. In some quarters he is credited with having something to do with the proposed changes. He will be here in the morning and can speak for himself. While every Allegheny county legislator has heard that amendments are to be made, they all say they have no accurate information on the subject.

Cook Bill Reported.

Tonight Mr Shenkel of Pittsburgh, in obedience to instructions given him by the house committee on municipal corporations, reported the chamber of commerce bill without amendments. It does not even contain the amendments desired by McKeesport. This means that if the changes of any kind are to be made in the measure the amendments will have to be inserted on the floor of the house or the bill returned to the committee.

The Allegheny county members are to hold a caucus tomorrow morning to consider changes in the representative apportionment bill. According to the reports tonight, the Alleghenians who desire to prevent consolidation are to urge the caucus to accept the amendment to make the annexation legislation inoperative until after April, 1909.

It is doubtful if all the members from Allegheny county would agree to any amendments which will prevent consolidation. The true friends of a Greater Pittsburgh want the larger city erected as speedily as possible and care nothing about the effect of the legislation on local political conditions.

May Vote Down Amendments.

Gov. Pennypacker made the Greater Pittsburgh legislation the first subject of his call because he believed the people living within the confines of the proposed larger city were eager for annexation. If the amendment to delay for three years prevails two legislatures will have come and gone in the meantime. There is no whip over this legislature, and it will be surprising if the lawmakers do not look upon such an amendment as silly and vote it down.

Mr. Mohr of Berks reported from the house municipal corporations committee with negative recommendation the Merchants and Manufacturers' association annexation bill.

WANTS TO SERVE TERM.

Brooklyn Man Said Captain of Slocum Is Innocent and Would Offer Himself as Substitute.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—"I am here," exclaimed a little five-foot man in Marshal Henkel's office in the Federal building today, "to take Capt. Van Schaick's place and serve in Sing Sing that 10 years. I was on the Slocum when the accident occurred. I heard and saw Capt. Van Schaick ring that bell, and I know he is innocent. He is an old man—too old to go to prison—and I, a young man, am here to serve his sentence."

"Do you know Capt. Van Schaick?" asked the marshal.

"No, I never met him," responded the man.

The man said he was John Short of Brooklyn. He was led out of the building.

Coming to Allegheny Arsenal.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Capt. Frank A. Grant has been ordered to take charge of the supply depot at Allegheny arsenal under direction of the quartermaster general. Capt. Grant is now stationed at Seattle, Wash., and as soon as relieved from duty there he will report at the Allegheny arsenal.

Ratify Miss Roosevelt's Gift.

HAVANA, Jan. 29.—The house of representatives today adopted unanimously and without discussion the senate bill appropriating $25,000 for a wedding present to Miss Roosevelt.

CORRESPONDENT ON THE GROUND
COUSIN OF MAN WHO KNOWS BRIDEGROOM ELECTS UNCLE
EXCITING RUMOR THAT BRIDE ELECT'S BROTHER IS AT SECOND STORY WINDOW
SUPPOSED FOOTPRINT OF BRIDE ELECT DISCOVERED
OH DEAR
MOVEMENTS OF BRIDE ELECTS POORLY CAREFULLY NOTED

Newsy Days About the White House.

HATS AND THINGS OCCUPY DAY IN NEW YORK

Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longsworth Reach Metropolis—Dinners and Luncheons.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Like thousands of other young women with money to spend, Miss Alice Roosevelt came to New York this afternoon to do her final shopping and to complete her trousseau, but unlike those other thousands she was not allowed to make her entry quietly, and her visit here of several days will be something more than a mere shopping trip.

Miss Roosevelt was entertained at dinner tonight and another dinner will be given for her tomorrow night, but between entertainments the bride-to-be of Representative Nicholas Longworth will visit millinery shops and other establishments. One such call was made this afternoon.

Entirely unabashed by the stares of several hundred persons who crowded about her in the Pennsylvania station in Jersey City while she was waiting for a ferryboat, Miss Roosevelt chatted with Mr. Longworth. Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth came from Philadelphia in the Pullman car Alice, though it was only a coincidence. With other passengers, they hurried to catch a ferryboat, but had to wait ten minutes. On the deck of the boat Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth consented to pose several times for photographers, both taking the affair with extreme good nature.

Unnoticed by those on the streets through which they passed, they hurried to Sherry's as fast as the traffic regulations would let them. At Sherry's a note had been left for Miss Roosevelt from Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, asking her to go to the St. Regis, where they had lunch. After shopping for two hours, Miss Roosevelt was driven to the home of Mrs. Robert Goelet. Mrs. Goelet will be her hostess while she is in New York. Mrs. Goelet will give a dinner for Miss Roosevelt tomorrow night.

Mr. Longworth will meet his sister, the Countess De Chambrun, who will arrive from Europe tomorrow morning and after the dinner tomorrow evening will return to Washington. Miss Roosevelt may remain here until Thursday.

Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth attended the presentation of Faust at the Metropolitan opera house tonight. They were members of a party occupying the boxes of Mrs. Robert Goelet and Mrs. Ogden Goelet.

KILLED BY A BOMB.

Russian General Is Assassinated and Two Noblemen Murdered by Revolutionists.

TIFLIS, TRANSCAUCASIA, Jan. 29.—Gen. Griaznoff, chief of staff to the viceroy of the Caucasus, was killed by a bomb today. The assassin has been arrested.

TUKUM, COURLAND, Jan. 29.—Count Frederic Lamsdorff and Baron Roenne, two of the most prominent landowners of this district, were attacked yesterday while out driving by a band of revolutionists and were pulled from their sleighs and murdered.

Early Cable Exponent Dead.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—Juleg Despecher, one of the first men in this country to take part in the promotion of cable communication between Europe and America, is dead, aged 83.

ADRIFT FOUR DAYS.

Two Fishermen, Lying Unconscious in Dory, Picked Up at Sea After Terrible Experience.

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—After having been adrift in a dory for four days without food or drink, Charles Matheson of this city and Charles Hemeon of Shelburne, N. S., two fishermen, were picked up by the fishing schooner Flora S. Nickerson and brought here today. Both men were unconscious in the bottom of their boat when the schooner came up to it and they still are in a serious condition. The men belonged to the fishing schooner Quannapowitt, which they lost in the fog last Tuesday, and they drifted more than 200 miles from the fishing grounds.

Matheson said that on the second day there was a northeast gale. One huge wave wrenched away the oars. Another sea swept Hemeon overboard, but he caught him and pulled him back. Wednesday night and Thursday they were driven in the teeth of the gale. Thursday night Hemeon went out of his mind. He leaped over the side of the dory and Matheson after a hard time got him back.

WAY OPEN FOR RATE BILL.

Compromise Is Suggested Which May Insure Passage of Measure in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—There was some talk about the senate today of a railroad rate measure compromise, the suggestion being that either the Elkins or the Foraker bills should be made a part of the Dolliver bill, so that two courses of procedure could be open to the commission in regard to complaints regarding rates, one by the commission itself, and the other by recourse to the courts.

In case this program was adopted it was thought a rate bill could be passed in the senate with very little opposition.

FALLS EIGHT STORIES.

Janitor Is Somewhat Hurt, but not Seriously—Curses Dumb Waiter on Way to the Hospital.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—William Senke, janitor of an apartment house at 2469 Broadway, fell eight stories in the building today and got off with a fracture of an ankle, contusions of the back and bruises on his hands.

When tenants dragged his supposedly lifeless form from the dumb waiter shaft in which he had fallen while repairing it they were surprised to hear Senke execrate the dumb waiter. "It's always out of order," he added. He made the air blue all the way to the hospital.

ALFONSO DRIVING, GIVES FIANCEE AUTO TRIP

BIARRITZ, FRANCE, Jan. 29.—King Alfonso arrived this morning and took Princess Ena of Battenburg and her mother, Princess Henry, on an automobile trip to Bayonne, his majesty driving. The queen mother and her suite left Miramar in automobiles and on their arrival were received by the Spanish consul and the mayor, who presented her majesty with a bouquet. The queen, after lunching with the princesses, left for Madrid. The king left for Miramar tonight.

Four Are Hurt in Railroad Wreck.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—A Lake Shore engine this morning crashed into a train of two cars, one of which was loaded with 400 kegs of powder. John Eagan, a fireman of this place, was fatally injured, and Frank Probst, George Wilson and William Connell, were seriously hurt. The trucks were knocked from under the car which contained the powder.

Countess of Yarmouth to Sail.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The Earl and Countess of Yarmouth will sail for New York Wednesday on the steamer Baltic. The countess was Alice Thaw of Pittsburgh.

LETTERS OF LOEB RETAINED BY JEROME

May Bring Up President's Connection With Fads and Fancies—After Justice Deuel.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Steps were taken today by James W. Osborne, counsel for Norman Hapgood, editor of Collier's Weekly, to follow up the disclosures made in the Town Topics case. Today's move is in the direction of John Doe proceedings. A representative of Mr. Osborne secured from a police magistrate a dozen subpoenas for witnesses, whose identity was not disclosed.

Mr. Osborne's representative told the magistrate that Mr. Osborne expected to co-operate with District Attorney Jerome in conducting the proceedings, which he said would be based on the evidence given in the previous case.

Acting District Attorney Nott today began a systematic study of the evidence brought out in the Hapgood trial for the purpose of preparing its salient points for submission to District Attorney Jerome upon the latter's return from his home in Lakeville Monday. It was stated at the district attorney's office today that if this evidence is sufficient to warrant such action it will be submitted to the appellate division with a view to having the judges of that court proceed with measures looking to the removal of Justice Deuel from the special sessions bench.

The correspondence between Col. Mann and Secretary Loeb relative to the article on President Roosevelt in Fads and Fancies is in possession of District Attorney Jerome, who took it to Lakeville. Today the attorneys for Town Topics made a formal demand upon Acting District Attorney Nott for the return of the correspondence, but were informed that there was a great probability that Mr. Jerome would yet need it in connection with the Mann case.

BIGELOW RULES COUNCILS AT HIS SWEET WILL

Citizens Party Members Vote Solidly to Mortage Public Highway.

NOW UP TO MAYOR

Common Council Kills Resolution to Investigate Scandal of Verner Franchise.

EIGHT REPUBLICANS ASSIST

By the solid support of the Citizens party members, to a man, and by the votes of eight Republicans, the Grant boulevard deal was finally put through common council last night. The measure will be promptly signed by the mayor, just as soon as the ordinance can be transcribed by the city clerk and laid before him. The pen with which the ordinance will be signed, by the city executive may possibly be turned over to Murry A. Verner, as was the instrument with which Mayor Hays affixed his signature to the original Grant boulevard franchise.

Not content with the consummation of the deal itself, Director Bigelow gave orders which put to death the Brand resolution and thereby covered up the tracks of the scandal arising from the boulevard deal and from the passage of the original ordinance to Verner and his associates, in March, 1904. Confident of his strength, Director Bigelow permitted the resolution introduced at the previous meeting by William Brand to come up and be voted down.

Men who favored the resolution at the previous meeting fell in line with Director Bigelow last night and voted against the resolution.

Little Chance of Official Inquiry.

With an investigation in councils stopped and the Grant boulevard suit ended in the United States court by the Voters' Civic league, there is little chance of any official inquiry ever being made unless it is made by the district attorney of the county with such evidence as he can gather alone.

The ordinance of Select Councilman H. B. Burns repealing the Grant boulevard franchise in its entirety and restoring the Grant boulevard to the control of the city was introduced in common council by W. A. Martin of the Sixteenth ward, owing to the fact that the administration prevented a meeting of select council in the afternoon, when Dr. Burns intended to introduce the ordinance himself.

The Burns repealer deals with the entire Grant boulevard franchise, including the right of way not only in the boulevard, Dithridge and Craig streets and Cherry alley, but also in Oliver avenue, Grant street, Dante and Strawberry alleys. The contract ordinance rammed through last night by Director Bigelow, even should it be binding, does not prohibit the building of that portion of the boulevard line extending along Oliver avenue. The Philadelphia company still has the right to build a double track in Oliver avenue, which is only 44 feet wide.

Dr. Burns hopes that his repealer will have the effect of preventing the legal consummation of the deal or contract with the Philadelphia Company to tie up the boulevard for a period of 45 years, on the same principle that a street cannot be widened while a repealer is pending in councils, but such considerations will not interfere with the signing of the ordinance by the mayor. The Burns repealer was referred to the committee on corporations, and it will probably be kept there unless Director Bigelow finds that the deal cannot be legally closed. In the

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PENNSYLVANIA STATE TREASURY CONTAINS OVER $11,000,000 CASH

Mr. Mathues Submits a Statement to the Legislature Showing the Condition of the Finances of Commonwealth.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 29.—The state of Pennsylvania has $12,160,086 16 in cash and securities in the treasury and a total debt of $4,023,967 02, according to a statement submitted to the legislature tonight by Sate Treasurer Mathues.

This statement, showing the condition of the finances of the commonwealth, was prepared by Treasurer Matheus in response to a concurrent resolution offered in the senate a few days ago by Senator Dewalt, Democrat of Lehigh county, asking for a report on the condition of the treasury.

The statement shows that at the close of business last Friday the cash on hand was $8,268,063 45 in the general fund and $3,581,722 71 in the sinking fund, a total of $11,850,086 16. This money is carried on deposit in about 200 banks and trust companies throughout the state, all of which except five pay 2 per cent interest to the state. The remaining five are known as active depositories and pay 1½ per cent. A list of these depositories and the amount held by each accompanies the report.

In addition to the cash, the sinking fund holds $300,000 worth of bonds of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company, making the total assets of the treasury $12,160,086 16. The state debt has been reduced since October last by the purchase of Pennsylvania 4 per cent bonds, due in 1912, to a total of $694,850, on which $41,631 was paid as premium and $9,008 11 as interest, making the total cost $745,549 11. The funded debt of the state is $3,883,850 and the unfunded debt $134,117 02, making a total of $4,023,967 02.

DISTANCE HOLDS NO FEAR FOR FLASHING CARS

Automobiles Register Two Miles in Less Than Minute.

FRENCHWINVICTORY

American Machine Accomplishes Wonderful Feat, but Darracq Snatches Away Palm.

DEMOGEOT CROWNED KING

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ORMOND, FLA., Jan. 29.—At last the two-mile-a-minute automobile has arrived. It has been produced both by France and the United States. As a grand finale of the 1906 speed tournament on the Ormond-Daytona beach, two motor vehicles today accomplished the feat of traveling two miles in less than one minute.

F. E. Stanley's marvelous steam creation, driven by Marriott, first performed the miracle of skimming the beach for the distance in 59 3-5 seconds. Then, while salvos of applause were still traveling over the course, B. T. Stevens' eight-cylinder Darracq, of 200-horsepower, driven by Demogeot, thundered over the course in 58 4-5 seconds.

It was a sensational ending to a meeting that had produced more records and less sport than any tournament preceding. Both performances were made at the close of the day, and the close of the speed carnival, and the beach was wavy and lumpy, decidedly not at its best. Only a light breeze blew from the north by west, but it was almost directly at the backs of the record demolishers. The weather was balmy and, notwithstanding the fact that the races had been held over from Saturday, the attendance was large, there being several thousand persons along the route.

Given Flying Starts.

Only the two cars named essayed the trial. The start was from the timers' stand at Daytona, with the finish two miles to the southward. The steamer began its sprint between the two piers about one and one-half miles north of the starting line. The Darracq was put into motion below Seabreeze, about two and a half miles from the start. Both cars crossed the line at top speed.

The McMurty electric timing apparatus was thoroughly tested before each trial, both at the start and finish. A score more persons held timing pieces, and they were practically all in unison with the automatic machine.

Marriott made the first onslaught. His steamer came down the beach like a rocket. He flashed over the electric tape, flashed to the southward and in a twinkling disappeared in a cloud of low hanging mist that had been forming on the shore. The minute mark was reported passed. Something like a sigh went up from the crowd, for the trial had failed.

The two miles had been covered in one minutes and three seconds, the fastest on record up to that time.

Thunders Past.

The timing device was tested before the great Darracq was heard thundering in the distance. It seemed to come faster than the Stanley had done because it hurled noise before it. It thundered rather than flashed over the line. The report of the pistol was eagerly awaited. The latter came almost sooner than expected, and a mightly shout went up when the time was announced as 1 minute 3-5 seconds.

The world's record just created had been snatched from the American steamer.

Robert Lee Morrell, the referee, announced that both cars might have another trial to get within the minute, and the decision gave general satisfaction.

Again the red rocket, piloted by Marriott, skimmed the beach. Again it flashed over the line, and everybody realized that it was going faster than before. When the report of the pistol came a hundred watches registered under the minute, and pandemonium broke loose. The official time was 59 minutes 3-5 seconds.

The first two-mile a minute was an American creation.

Again eager eyes looked up the beach for the Darracq. Again that projectile shot over the wave-washed sand. There were moments of anxiety, hope, fear and excitement. In crossing the line the engineer was working better than before.

French Win Palm.

The hands of the watch had stopped for the Stanley performance when the pistol flashed. Every watchholder knew that the Stanley time had been beaten. The official time was 58 4-5 seconds, and the fastest two-mile car in the world was of French engineering.

When it was all over Demogeot was blushingly escorted to the platform, where Mary Simrall, a Florida girl, crowned him with a wreath of laurel and presented him with a magnificent crown trophy as the speed king of the world.

The program was cleaned up today, and Lancia, in the 110-horsepower Fiat, carried everything before him in the open contests. He established a record of 10 minutes flat for 15 miles.

The 30-mile championship for American-built cars, held in the morning, furnished

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DEAN OF EUROPEAN MONARCHS DIES; MANY COURTS IN MOURNING

KING CHRISTIAN DIES SUDDENLY

Aged Ruler of Denmark Collapses With Weak Heart.

HAD LARGE FAMILY

Known as "Father-in-Law of Europe" Because of Daughters' Marriages.

FREDERICK VIII. SUCCEEDS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, Jan. 29.—Christian IX., the aged king of Denmark, dean of the crowned heads of Europe, father of King George of Greece, of Queen Alexandra of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Dowager Empress Maria Feodorovna of Russia, grandfather of King Haakon VII. of Norway, and related by blood or by marriage to most of the European rulers, died with startling suddenness in the Amalienborg palace this afternoon.

The accession of his successor, Prince Frederick, his eldest son, who will be known as Frederick VIII., will be proclaimed tomorrow.

The following official bulletin was issued this evening:

His majesty died at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. After his majesty had brought this morning audience to a conclusion, he appeared to be quite well, and proceeded to luncheon as usual. Toward the end of the meal he gave evidence of indisposition, and was compelled to retire to bed at 2:30 p. m. His majesty passed away peacefully, the symptoms indicating heart failure.

The death of King Christian has plunged half the courts of Europe into the deepest mourning, and brought a sense of personal loss to the humbiest cottage in the kingdom. It has cast a pall over the palaces of monarchs of Great Britain, Russia, Norway and Greece.

Unnerves Europe.

The quick taking away of this distinct personality, who has for so long been a center of interest not only in his own country, but throughout the civilized world, almost paralyzed the community and unnerved the business world of Denmark.

Every flag in the city is at half-mast; all places of amusement are closed, and the people walk the streets as though they were passing through the chamber of death. This afternoon when the flag flying over the palace was placed at half-mast, the news spread from mouth to mouth. It was not believed by the great crowds which gradually assembled in the square in front of the Amalienborg palace, but when uncertainty gave place to certainty those in the assemblage shed tears, and dispersed in respectful silence, many baring their heads and saulting the palace as they went by.

King Christian appeared to be in his usual health this morning. After taking breakfast he held a public audience, which it has been his custom to do every Monday morning. The reception today was largely attended and his majesty conversed freely with a number of people.

Dowager Czarina Present.

When the function was over the king, though appearing to be slightly fatigued, attended luncheon with the members of his family, among whom were the dowager empress of Russia and his brother, Gen. Prince Hans.

During the meal his majesty complained of indisposition and was assisted to his bedroom by the dowager empress and Prince Hans. A court physician was summoned, but by the time he arrived the king had collapsed. The physician used prompt restoratives, but his efforts were useless, and King Christian expired, almost without uttering a word, in the arms of the dowager empress and in the presence of the court physician and Prince Hans.

Just as the king breathed his last, Crown Prince Frederick entered the room and the other members of the royal family arrived shortly afterward.

Nothing is definitely known tonight concerning the arrangements for the funeral. It will be some time before anything regarding these arrangements is officially announced.

Telegrams and cablegrams of condolence are pouring in tonight, including messages from all the sovereigns of Europe and the Danish colonies.

Premier Resigns.

Premier Christiansen tonight tendered the resignation of the cabinet to the new king, who expressed a wish that the present ministry should continue to carry on the affairs of the government.

Both houses of parliament will assemble tomorrow when their presidents will formally announce the death of King Christian. At 3 o'clock p. m. the members will assemble in the hall of the folksthing to receive the royal message announcing the accession of Frederick VIII.

Public announcement of the death of King Christian and the accession of King Frederick will be made at noon from a balcony of the Amalienborg palace.

It had been known for some time that King Christian's health was failing. His physicians recommended a change of air and the king decided to take their advice. It was his intention to go south in the near future, accompanied by the dowager empress of Russia.

Was Drawing Teacher.

Christian IX., king of Denmark, was born April 8, 1818, not as heir to a monarchy, but as the third son of William, duke of Schleswig Holstein, and only successor to that principality.

In 1842, as Prince Christian of Gucksburg, he married Louise, daughter of William Landgrove, of Hesse Cassell, her mother being Princess Charlotte of Denmark, sister of King Christian VIII., whose son, Frederick VII., was then on the throne.

The early married life of the pair was not a smooth one. The only income they possessed being Christian's salary as captain in the guards, he was forced, it is told, to eke out the support of his family by giving drawing lessons at Jugenheim and Frankfort-on-Main.

Even with this added source of finance his income was so small that his wife and daughters, Alexandra and Dagmar, had to do their own housework and make their own clothes.

Matters went along in this way until 1852, when Frederick VII., the occupant of the throne at that time, having no offspring, the powers decided that a successor should be appointed.

The nearest heir was Princess Louise of Hesse, wife of Prince Christian; so by mutual consent he was appointed as heir to the Danish throne by the treaty of London.

Protocol Prince.

By this agreement he was given the title of royal highness, an income of 100,000 rigsdaler ($55,000) and a palace in Copenhagen, in addition to which he received Bernsdorff castle as a summer residence.

Prince Christian, known as the protocol prince, continued to serve in the army, and had risen to the grade of inspector general of cavalry at the time of the death of Frederick VII.

King Christian has been many times called "the father-in-law of Europe," because his children and grandchildren either occupy or will inherit so many thrones.

The eldest son, Frederick, who is crown prince, was born 1843, and married in 1869 Princess Louise, the only child of the king of Sweden and Norway, and heiress to $50,000,000.

Alexandra, the second child and eldest daughter, born in 1844, was 19 years later wedded to Albert Edward, prince of Wales, now King Edward VII. of England, with whom she shares the throne as queen consort.

George, born in 1845, was the third child of the alliance. In 1863, when he was barely 22 years of age, he was offered the throne of Greece, after it had been refused by Prince Alfred of Edinburgh and others, which he accepted.

In 1867, as George I. of Greece, he married Princess Olga of Russia, and together they have amassed wealth through the position estimated at $25,000,000.

Daughter Dowager Czarina.

Princess Dagmar, the second daughter, born in 1847, was early affianced to Czarovitch Nicholas, but at his death she was persuaded to give her hand to his younger brother, who became Czar Alexander III.

The union was a happy one, and Alexander spent much time in Denmark with his wife and her parents.

The present czar, being the eldest child, was grandson to King Christian.

Prrine Valdemar, the youngest son, born in 1858, is an admiral in the Danish fleet, and was the king's constant companion.

He was married in 1885 to Princess Marie of Orleans, daughter of the pretender to the throne of France, through whom he has acquired considerable wealth, both by dowry and a legacy from the duke of Aumale, his wife's grand uncle. There are five children by this union, Valdemar, who is 14 years of

King Christian of Denmark.

age; Axel, 12; Eric, 10; Viggo, 7, and Helene, 5. The old king was devoted to them.

The sixth and last child of the Danish sovereign is Princess Thyra, born in 1858, one year after Christian's appointment as heir of Frederick VII.

Like her sister Dagmar, her fiance died, the Prince Imperial of France, to whom she was betrothed, being killed in the Zulu war.

She later became the wife of the only son of the last king of Hanover, who is known as the duke of Cumberland and duke of Brunswick.

Like her brothers and sisters she married to wealth, the duke being enormously rich. It is stated that when he travels the gold and silver plate which he takes with him weighs 15 tons and fills three railroad cars.

Father-in-Law of Europe.

By the diplomatic marriage of his six children King Christian was closely connected with the most powerful courts in Europe, and four of his grandsons may some day become rulers over one-half of the civilized world, Russia, England, Denmark and Greece.

There are four generations living in the line of succession to the throne of Denmark: The Crown Prince Frederick, who succeeds Christian IX., Prince Christian, his eldest son, who is married to the Princess Alexandrine of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, and the son of this royal couple, Frederick, born in 1899.

Prince Charles, a younger son of the crown prince, is married to Princess Maud of England, and Princess Charlotte, his daughter, is married to Prince Carl of Sweden, in addition to which there are five other children born to the heir apparent, who are unmarried, so there is little chance of the direct line of descent again becoming extinct.

It is due to King Christian's own efforts that he was so loved and trusted by his subjects. At the time of his succession to the crown Denmark was rent with internal dissension, resulting finally in a rupture with Germany. The outcome of this war was the loss of the province of Schleswig-Holstein and Laurenberg, almost a third of his dominions.

The greatest tact and diplomacy was needed at this time to gain the people's confidence, and Christian succeeded so well that at this time it may be said he was the most beloved ruler in Europe.

Family Gatherings.

Contrary to expectations, however, he was for many years in continual feud with his parliament. Although a democratic man, Denmark is still more democratic, and he had absolute ideas on the ruling of his people.

King Christian always led the simplest of lives, induced no doubt, by his early poverty.

In spite of lack of luxuries in his early married life, there was no happier house than his in all Europe. It is, no doubt, these remembrances that have made the old Danish home the ofttime resort of his children and their families in late years.

These family gatherings have had an important political effect on the most serious questions of the day. Their influence has been for universal peace, and the horror of war has been prevented by such meetings.

Since Christian opened his first rigsdag in 1865 he worked unceasingly for the development of the resources and institutions of his country, traveling quietly all over his kingdom.

One journey, however, is paramount in the history of his reign. In 1874, on the occasion of the millennial festival of Iceland, Christian visited his subjects, and by his visit to Reykagavik was the first monarch to set foot on this land of ice and snow.

Life an Example.

Clad in civilian costume, he was met by the bishop of the island and conducted to the historic plain of Thingvalla, where he attended a national gathering on the site of the tribune of the old Icelandic republic and listened to high-pitched rhetoric in the Norse language.

While very strict in court etiquette, the king indulged in little state otherwise. His meals were all of the simplest in both material and service, the intervening hours being consumed with correspondence and state affairs in the morning, and walks or riding in the parks in the afternoon, accompanied by members of his family and his dogs.

He visited many public places, talking to the people, no one of which was too humble to address him.

All petitions thus made were noted in a little red memorandum book, which is familiar to all.

Since the death of Queen Louise, which occurred on September 2, 1898, the king somewhat curtailed his daily strolls, advancing years and rheumatism being the principal causes.

Christian in the later years showed remarkable vigor, and only a short while ago, when his valet offered to assist him, said:

"When I grow old you may help me, but as yet, thank God, I am able to help myself."

King Christian has followed out his name to the letter. His private life was a blameless one and a glorious example to his half-hundred living descendants, and to the world at large, while peace with honor marked his reign of over 40 years.

SAY NEW QUEEN DOMINATES KING

Gifted Couple Who Will Rule Denmark Much Beloved by the People.

BLESSED WITH BIG FAMILY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 29.—The new king of Denmark, who will ascend the throne in his 62d year, at the death of his aged father, bears the weight of his years lightly, and is almost as popular with the people of Denmark as was King Christian. By the wish of his parents, he was brought up with great simplicity and his earlier education was obtained at the town grammar school. Not until he was 19 years old was the difficult question of his father's succession to the Danish throne finally settled.

It was Frederick's curious fate to see his younger brother and his own son become reigning monarchs of Greece and Norway respectively, while he himself was still an heir-apparent.

The new king has been highly popular since his earliest youth. His bearing is stately and his manner quiet. He is noted for his culture, and possesses many foreign distinctions. While seldom openly identifying himself with political questions, he has taken an active part in all public movements, and is a constant attendant at all important debates in the riksdag.

He is chancellor of the Copenhagen university and head of the Free Masons of Denmark, and is well-known as a promoter of all philanthropic objects. His interest in the army, of which he is inspector general, is keen, and he has introduced several reforms which have improved the lot of the private soldiers.

The new queen, Louisa, is reputed to be the tallest and richest princess in Europe. She is a handsome woman, of the blonde type, and reflects the beauty of her famous grandmother, Desiree Clary, the tradesman's daughter, who captivated Bonaparte and married Marshal Bernadotte, who subsequently became king of Sweden and Norway. The new queen inherited large fortunes both from Prince Frederick of the Netherlands and Prince Charles of Sweden.

Nevertheless she and her husband have adhered to the simplicity characteristic of the Danish court, showing the nation the happy spectacle of a united couple living on terms of the closest affection and sympathy with their eight children.

Frederick is credited with having a less determined character than his father, while it is whispered that the new queen possesses the stronger character of the two, and possibly this latter fact will have considerable influence on the policy of the new king. Both are deeply imbued with religious convictions. Their eldest daughter, the Princess of Schaumburg-Lippe, is now lying dangerously ill in Hungary.

DEATH CASTS GRIEF OVER EUROPEAN COURTS

Queen Alexandra Shocked by News. All Official Programs Are Promptly Cancelled.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The sudden death of King Christian places the majority of the royal houses of Europe in mourning. His sons and daughters were preparing for their annual trip to Copenhagen to celebrate his 88th birthday.

Queen Alexandra received the news of the death of her father at Windsor. It came as a great shock to her.

In view of the death of the king the official and other engagements in which the British court is concerned will be postponed or cancelled. It is said that the opening of parliament cannot take place February 19, according to the original program, but it may be opened by a royal commission, as in the later years of Queen Victoria's reign.

The holding of a court at Buckingham palace had been fixed for February 16, and levees had been arranged for February 20 and February 26.

It is expected that a memorial service will be held in the Chapel Royal, St. James palace, simultaneously with the funeral services in Denmark.

King Edward has arranged to come to London January 30 and Queen Alexandra was to leave Sandringham at the same time. It is not yet known what changes in their plans have been decided on.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 29.—Nowhere has the sudden death of King Christian of Denmark caused a greater surprise than in St. Petersburg. The dowager empress of Russia, who has been at Copenhagen for several months, was expected to return to Russia shortly. It is extremely doubtful, according to a high official of the court, whether Emperor Nicholas will personally attend the funeral. It is probable that he will be represented by his brother, Grand Duke Michael, and several other grand dukes. The usual period of mourning will be immediately proclaimed, and all court functions cancelled.

The imperial court, which was emerging from the deep lethargy into which it had been plunged since the outbreak of the war, was thrown back into mourning. The emperor had again been participating in formal functions which had been entirely suspended during the acute period of the internal troubles.

CHRISTIANIA, NORWAY, Jan. 29.—The announcement of the death of King Christian, grandfather of the king of Norway, has been received with every evidence of deep sorrow. All places of public amusement are closed tonight and official functions have been conceled. King Haakon will go to Copenhagen to attend the funeral.

BERLIN, Jan. 29.—Emperor William, on hearing of the death of King Christian, promptly sent his condolences to Copenhagen and cancelled the court ball which was to have taken place January 31.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—By direction of the President, Secretary Root today sent a cablegram to the American minister at Copenhagen for transmission to the Danish government, expressing the deepest sympathy at the demise of King Christian.

NEW STATION FOR ETNA.

Settles Fight With Railroad Company and Town Will Go in Map.

Although one of the oldest boroughs in the county, Etna has never been on the railroad map, owing to the local station of the Pittsburgh & Western railroad being labelled "Sharpsburg." But now not only will the station have a new name, but the borough will have a new station building, and a dispute of years standing over the ownership of Middle alley, near the depot, which has caused many wars between the borough and the railroad, will be settled. The borough willing the alley to the railroad in return for a new paved street, which the railroad will construct farther down the tracks.

This agreement was reached at last night's council meeting in Etna, and an ordinance is now being framed by the railroad and will be presented to council for approval next week. Council indorsed another improvement last night in instructing Borough Solicitor Thomas to present a petition to the court asking that the borough be divided into wards. Three wards will probably be created.

PLAN NEW TRUST COMPANY.

East End Capital Is Interested in Financial Institution for the Homewood District.

Negotiations are on for the formation of a new trust company to be established in the Homewood district, in which East End and Homewood capital is being interested. It is said that the new company is to be capitalized at $200,000, and that $50,000 worth of this is to be reserved as treasury stock. Among those said to be interested are L. Vilsack, president, and P. C. Dunlevy, cashier of the East End Savings and Trust Company.

Mr. Vilsack admitted last night that he was interested in a new banking venture, as did Mr. Dunlevy. It is reported that the new company will apply for a charter within a few days.

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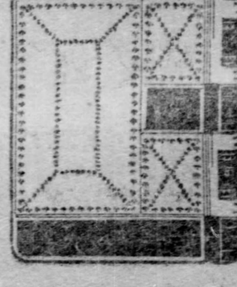

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PROBING WILL COMMENCE AT ONCE

Republicans Provide Immediate Investigation of Insurance Department.

DEMOCRATS WANTED DELAY

Special Telegram From WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 29.—There will be an investigation of the insurance department by a joint legislative committee of 11. This inquiry was provided for tonight by the Republicans of the legislature. The Democrats tried to have the inquiry run through the summer and fall in order to use it as a manufacturing plant for political buncombe. A united Republican party declined this proposition, and the committee will report its findings on next Tuesday. This will give ample time.

The resolution was fathered in the house by Mr. Pusey of Delaware, and provides for a committee of five senators, two to be of the minority, and six representatives, two to be of the minority party. The committee has the following powers:

To make a thorough investigation as to the collection of fees, commissions, etc., of the insurance department by the officers and employes, including the actuary, since May 21, 1891, and the final disposition of the same; also to investigate as to how the salaries of the several officers and employes of the insurance department are at present provided for, and to make recommendations for the method of abolishing or improving the present fee system of said department, as to the committee shall seem best.

The committee shall organize within two days after the approval by the governor of the resolution; shall have full power to bring before it and examine all such persons it may deem necessary, to administer oaths or affirmations, to send for persons and papers, to employ legal counsel, stenographers and such other assistants as it may be needful, and shall make report to the legislature not later than February 6, 1909.

Want Complete Inquiry.

Under this resolution it will be possible to investigate the administrations of insurance commissioners George B. Luper, James H. Lambert, Israel W. Durham and David Martin. Luper was a Democrat, serving under the second term of Gov. Pattison. The Herbst resolution adopted in the senate last Thursday would have limited the inquiry to an examination of Actuary P. E. Forster. This proposition from the Democrats was too narrow for the Republicans. They want a complete investigation and the Pusey plan opens the door for it. The senate tonight reconsidered its action on the Herbst inquiry and then concurred in the Pusey resolution. The governor will sign it and the committee will begin taking testimony about Thursday or Friday.

When the Pusey resolution had been read in the house, Ammerman, Democrat of Montour, offered a substitute. The purpose was to allow for an inquiry which would have taken up all summer and fall. Ammerman said it would be impossible to report February 6, as it would be necessary to subpoena Durham, who is now in California, and other men who are out of the state. The Republicans charged that Ammerman was simply trying to play politics and he made no reply to the charge. Mr. Hitchcock of Tioga said any committee could in five days get all of the information necessary. The amendment was voted down by a vote of 161 to 17. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

In the senate the Republicans all voted to reconsider the action on the Herbst resolution. After considerable debate the Pusey proposition was adopted without a dissenting voice. The Democrats tried to prolong the inquiry, but failed.

Had Heard of Bribery.

Senator Grim, Democrat of Bucks, wanted the powers of the investigating committee enlarged so as to ascertain whether money has been paid in the past for promoting or killing insurance legislation. He said a man had told him he had paid $5,000 on one bill and was ready to put up $15,500 if the legislation was put through. He also referred to recent newspaper interviews concerning the payment of money by an insurance company.

Senator Fox said that such matter in the resolution was not germane under the governor's call and the executive could not sign the resolution.

Senator Fisher of Indiana said the senator from Bucks was trying to play politics and knew that his amendment was not germane. "If the senator has the information he claims to possess," said Mr. Fisher, "let him tell it to the senate now. There is no reason to wait for a committee." Senator Grim did not accept the invitation.

Mr. Kennedy of Beaver secured the approval of the house to a joint resolution which paves the way for a constitutional convention. In asking for its approval he said:

The Best Safeguard.

The courts have repeatedly been compelled to ignore various clauses of the present constitution in order that it could be applied practically. In a measure this means a repeal by the courts of the fundamental law. The financial institutions of the state have grown into not only new phases of banking, but the trust company is found in every county where the people's money is at stake. Fundamental law, which is beyond the whim of the legislator, is the best safeguard.

Then the new system of traction lines has found its growth since 1874. For the sake of the people they should be put under the same class as the steam railroads, and be subject to the same control. As these traction lines all over the state are on the best avenues in every community, they should be made public highways and common carriers. It is doubtful whether any senatorial apportionment can be drawn which will not be in violation of the plain letter of the constitution. A system of fees exists in all our counties which should be wiped out and salaries substituted. These are but a few, though not the least important, of the changes that should be made, to bring the constitution up to date.

Mr. Hood of Fayette tried to have the house fix February 10 as the date for final adjournment. The resolution would have been adopted had not Speaker Walton shown that the legislature is not ready to act. He thinks that by Thursday the rules committee will be able to determine the date and hopes it will be earlier than February 10.

On an Unknown Road.

The resolution was withdrawn. Mr. McClain in endeavoring to have the resolution sidetracked said: "Reform is an unfamiliar subject to us. We have much important legislation and we are running over a roadbed unknown to us. Unless we use great caution and care we may bring up wrecked and dismantled."

The Smith bill compelling county commissioners to receive bids on all bridge repair work costing over $100 was returned to the calendar tonight without a struggle. This bill was defeated last week, much to the joy of the bridge combine. It will now be passed.

The Campsey bridge bill covering much the same ground as the Smith bill, but on a more extensive scale, was amended in several particulars while on second reading and then postponed for the present. One of the amendments was inserted by Mr. Morrison of Westmoreland, a county that has suffered much at the hands of the bridge builders. The amendment provides that when it is proven that county commissioners or bidders, jointly or separately, try to stifle competition or enter into a conspiracy, the penalty shall be a fine of $1,000 and two years imprisonment.

The Allegheny county members are to hold another caucus tomorrow morning to try to agree on the representative district lines. Sunday morning Republican City Chairman Leslie summoned Representatives Cook, Edlis, Kline, Heselbarth, Shenkel and Godfrey to the Grant street headquarters. He there tried to settle the differences existing between Cook and Edlis, but failed. He wanted the matter left to a vote of the Pittsburgh members, but Edlis refused to accept this. He is willing to abide by the decision of the country caucus. Representative Smith was not present.

Proposed Change of Districts.

At this Pittsburgh meeting there was a plan to have the present proposed single districts broken up and larger ones made. One scheme is to have the Cook-Edlis district, which consists of the Second, Third, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Eleventh and Thirteenth wards added to the Fourteenth and Twenty-third wards and give it three members. Mr. Smith, who lives in the Fourteenth, is not sure this will be satisfactory to him and Edlis is certain that he does not want it.

He will propose to the caucus that he be given a district consisting of the Eleventh and Thirteenth wards and the Fourteenth and Twenty-third wards can be added to the remainder of the Cook district. The Pittsburgh legislators tried to have Republican County Chairman Ford come here tomorrow, but he declined to interfere. Unless the caucus shows some sense in the morning Allegheny county may furnish an ugly fight for the floor of the house.

The uniform primary election bill drafted by the joint committee on elections was introduced in the house tonight by Mr. Sheatz of Philadelphia. A personal registration bill for cities of the first and second class was introduced by Mr. Lukens of Philadelphia; a uniform primary election bill by Mr. Kennedy of Beaver; a senatorial apportionment bill by Mr. Riley of Allegheny and a bill reducing the fee of the actuary of the insurance department from 3 cents per $1,000 valuation to one-half cent, and providing that these fees shall be paid into the state treasury, by Mr. Stroup of Dauphin.

NOT A RICH MAN'S COLLEGE.

President Hadley Tells Cleveland Alumni That Yale Is Growing in Influence.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 29.—President Arthur Hadley of Yale college was the guest of honor tonight at the annual dinner of the Yale Alumni association of Cleveland. He responded to the toast, "For God, For Country and For Yale." Among other things President Hadley said in part:

"There are many things on which we may this year congratulate ourselves. We may congratulate ourselves on the increase in numbers of 200 above any previous year. Yale is becoming a college of international character. If anyone is afraid that Yale will become a rich man's college we can point out that there are today a larger number of students supporting themselves than there ever was before. Slowly but surely we are developing the atmosphere of culture which constitutes the true attributes of a university."

Pennsylvania Postmasters Named.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The president today sent to the senate the nomination of the following Pennsylvania postmasters: John M. Carson, Homer City; George Sowach, Irwin, Pa.; Clayton O. Slater, Latrobe; Samuel M. Turk, Parkers Landing.

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DISTANCE HOLDS NO FEAR

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more amusement than sport. The Christie and Ford cars started together, while the Stanley steamer crossed the line 5 minutes 40 second later and won the race.

F. E. Stanley announced tonight that if the Vanderbilt cup race is held in this country this year, as now seems probable, he will build a steam racing machine for it capable of sustaining power for 300 miles. He says it will be possible to build a car that will average 90 miles an hour for the entire distance.

Summary of Races.

The summaries:

Thirty-mile championship, American cars, all powers—Won by Mariott, 40 horsepower steamer; gross time, 34:15 2-5; actual time, 28:38 2-5. Second, Christie, 110 horsepower gasoline; time, 37:34⅘. Kulick did not finish.

Fifteen-mile open championship—Won by Lancia, 110 horsepower gasoline; time, 10:00 flat. Second, Hilliard, 80 horsepower gasoline; time, 11:26 3-5. Cedrino, 110 horsepower gasoline, did not finish.

Ten-mile open championship and 10-mile heavy weight championship (run together)—Won by Lancia, 110 horsepower gasoline; time, 6:19 3-5. Second, Mariott, 40 horsepower steamer; time, 7:25 3-5.

Ten-mile open handicap—Won by Lancia, scratch, 110 horsepower gasoline; time, 6:18 2-5. Second, Hilliard, one minute handicap, 80 horsepower gasoline; time, 8:03 4-5. Harding, two minutes 34 seconds handicap, did not finish.

Two-mile minute trial—First act, won by Demogeot, 200 horsepower gasoline; time, 1 minute 2-5 seconds. Second, Marriott, 40 horsepower, steam; time, 1 minute 3 seconds.

Second act, won by Demogeot; time, :58 4-5. Second, Mariott; time, :59 3-5.

One-mile middle weight championship—Won by Guy Vaughn, 100 horsepower gasoline. No time given.

Hears of Death at Banquet.

ATHENS, GREECE, Jan. 29.—King George only learned of his father's death at the close of a banquet in the palace given in honor of John B. Jackson, the American minister. His majesty was much affected.

MUST STAMP OUT POLYGAMY.

Congressman Bede, Guest of Tippecanoe Club, Says Territories Must Come in Clean.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 29.—Congressman J. Adam Bede of Minnesota was the principal speaker at the annual banquet here tonight of the Tippecanoe club. In an interview this afternoon Congressman Bede made the following comment relative to the admission of New Mexico and Arizona into the union, a matter in which Mr. Bede was prominent in opposition:

"The only thing that I can see back of the contention of the national Republican leaders that Arizona and New Mexico must be admitted into statehood is simply politics, nothing else than politics."

He asserted that during the last six months there have been 26 convictions in both these territories for the crime of polygamy. Mr. Bede said he believed that if polygamy were not stamped out before they gained statehood they would pass under the control of the Mormon hierarchy as has Utah.

JACK THE STABBER AGAIN.

Mysterious St. Louis Man Who Cuts Women and Girls Begins Working in Daylight.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—While turning from Grand avenue into the entrance of the Redemptorist High school today Gertha Rude, a 13-year-old school girl, was apparently accidentally collided with by an unknown young man and a few minutes later she found she had been stabbed. The knife cut through her clothing but did not penetrate the flesh.

This makes the seventeenth girl mysteriously stabbed on the streets within the past two weeks, but marks the first case of stabbing during the daytime. None has been seriously injured.

PRAYING FOR PATTISON.

Ministers at Columbus Will Offer Up Supplication All This Week for Ohio's Governor.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—The Presbyterian ministers of Columbus will pray all week for the recovery of Gov. Pattison. "We are going to pray for the recovery of Gov. Pattison and his complete restoration to health, for we must look to him 'to put the lid on,'" said the Rev. W. H. Houston at the meeting of the Presbyterian Ministers' association. "Gov. Pattison is a very sick man, and his death or inability to take up his duties would be a blow to the church people."

MOTHER OF 27 ASKS DIVORCE FOR CRUELTY

HARTFORD, CONN., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Mrs. Rosanna Nolan of Pequencock, who has been married 24 years, during which time she had 27 children, 14 of whom are now living, has brought suit for divorce from her husband, James Nolan. Mrs. Nolan alleges habitual intemperance and intolerable cruelty. She was married to Nolan when only 16.

NATIONAL GUARDSMEN HAVE CLOSE INSPECTION

Major Jefferis of the Second Brigade Reviews Company L. of the Eighteenth Regiment.

The first company inspection of the Eighteenth regiment, National guard of Pennsylvania, was held at the armory last evening, when Major S. W. Jefferis, brigade inspector for the Second brigade, inspected Company L, Capt. Henderson commanding. Major Jeffries was assisted by Capt. John K. Cree, an artillery officer in the United States army. When the company lined up in front of the inspecting officers 51 men answered to the roll call, and as 52 men is counted 100 per cent for attendance, this is considered a very good showing.

The pieces of the entire company were found to be in extremely good condition. After an inspection on personal appearance, the company was drilled as a whole, then by platoons and squads, the noncommissioned officers taking charge of their individual squads in an interesting drill in skirmish and rally formations. The men showed the result of careful drilling in this line.

The hall was well crowded with military men and visitors. Major Henderson of the Third battalion was present with his staff, as were many of the regimental officers. The inspection will continue throughout the week. Company E will be inspected this evening and Company B on Thursday night.

DEFEAT MARY M'ALLISTER.

James Hoover Wins Over Woman Candidate for School Director.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 29.—After the most strenuous campaign in the history of Susquehanna township, which adjoins Harrisburg, Miss Mary McAllister was defeated by James Hoover, a farmer, by a small majority for the Republican nomination for school director of that district. The primaries were held Saturday night.

Miss McAllister polled 114 votes, the largest ever cast in the township at the primaries of either party. Four men were named against her, but at the last moment they combined for Hoover to defeat her. Miss McAllister is one of the most intelligent and progressive women in the community.

COULD NOT RUN.

Man Playing Highwayman in Allegheny Is Easily Captured.

John R. Whorton of Sewickley was arrested last night by Policeman Gilleland, in Allegheny. A charge of robbery will be lodged against him this morning. He was taken after a chase, and might have escaped had he not been intoxicated.

His arrest followed an assault made on Andrew Sweitzer of 209 Chestnut street, at the Allegheny end of the Pennsylvania railroad bridge. Sweitzer was struck in the mouth and knocked down, several of his teeth being broken. His assailant, it is claimed, snatched a gold watch and chain and started to run. Sweitzer pursued and Policeman Gilleland joined the chase. The watch was found in Whorton's pocket.

Feared He Would Be Buried Alive.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Jan. 29.—(Special.) To make sure that he would not be buried alive, John Braddee of Smithfield, who died last Wednesday, made a request that his body be kept at least three days and an attempt be made to wake him for three nights in succession after his death. It was decided to give him an extra night and the body was not buried until Sunday.

Accept Plans for New School Building.

At a meeting of the Wilkinsburg board of education last night plans for the new school building to be erected in Franklin avenue were accepted. The plans call for a handsome brick building, containing 12 rooms and basement, the cost not to exceed $60,000. The board also decided to advertise for bids for the drilling of an artesian well on one of the school properties.

Fire at Homestead.

Fire which was discovered last midnight in the Credit Clothing store, Eighth avenue, Homestead, destroyed the stock, causing a loss estimated at $5,000 on stock and about $1,200 on the building. The store was owned by A. Rattman and the building, a three-story brick structure, by Mrs. Ida Miller. Both losses are covered by insurance.

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CONGRESS ON RAILROAD MERGERS

Relations Between P. R. R. and the B. & O. to Be Probed.

HOUSE TAKES ACTION

Resolution Adopted Calling on the President for Information.

DISCUSSION IN THE SENATE

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—In both branches of congress today action was taken with a view to ascertaining the relations between the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio railroads, and whether the latter is controlled by the former in violation of the interstate commerce laws. The subject was brought up in the house by Representative Gillespie of Texas.

The resolution calls upon the President to report to the house "all the facts within the knowledge of the interstate commerce commission which shows or tends to show that there exists at this time or heretofore within the last 12 months has existed a combination or arrangement among the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the Pennsylvania, the Norfolk & Western Railway Company, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, the Philadelphia, Baltimore & Washington Railroad Company, the Northern Central Company and the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company, or any two or more of said railroad companies" in violation of the interstate commerce laws. After some discussion the resolution was put to a vote, and by a division it was adopted.

Dalzell Was Too Late.

At this juncture Representative John Dalzell came into the affair, evidently not having before realized that there was any danger of the adoption of the resolution. He moved to reconsider, but the Democrats met this with a motion to lay his motion on the table, and upon this a roll call was demanded.

There was a great deal of shifting and dodging and changing of votes, the members concluding that this was a matter of some importance to themselves politically. Thirty-seven Republicans voted with the Democrats, and the motion to reconsider was laid on the table by a vote of 122 to 95.

Ever since the prosecution of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads in the merger case there have been rumors that a suit would be brought against the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio roads on the ground that the Pennsylvania holds enough stock of the Baltimore & Ohio to give it virtual control. The department of justice and the interstate commerce commission have conducted some investigations, and if the President does not consider it incompatible with the public interests the result of these investigations will be given to the house. Should the department of justice contemplate entering a suit, however, the information will be withheld.

Fuel Company Makes Complaint.

In the senate today Mr. Tillman of South Carolina sent to the clerk's desk and had read a letter he had received from the Red Rock Fuel Company of West Virginia, complaining of discriminations against it by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. It was signed by Logan M. Bullitt, president of the company, and was written from the general offices of the company at Torresdale, near Philadelphia. In the course of his letter Mr. Bullitt says:

"The Red Rock Fuel Company is the owner of over 4,000 acres of valuable coal lands on the line of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in Upshur county, West Virginia, which it is endeavoring to develop. In pursuance of this purpose it has opened a mine, constructed a tipple and built a siderack from the tipple to the right of way of the Baltimore & Ohio some 4,000 feet, and is in a position to make large shipments of coal if it receives the same treatment that the Baltimore & Ohio accords to other shippers of coal on its line of railroad, viz: A connection between the tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio and its siderack.

"Nearly one year ago the Red Rock Fuel Company made an application to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company for such connection, agreeing to pay the entire cost of the same, and pointing out that it had been the practice of the railroad for years to furnish such connections to persons or corporations desiring to ship coal from lands adjacent to its lines on the terms offered by the Red Rock Fuel Company. This request was met by a prompt refusal by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, and with a further statement that it would not grant the connection requested nor permit the Red Rock Fuel Company to become a shipper of coal if it could prevent it on the ground that if the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company had more coal for transportation than it had facilities to carry it, but the real reason as found by the interstate commerce commission, as hereinafter set forth, was that the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company owned a controlling interest in various coal companies along its line of railroad, which company shipped the bulk of the coal mined along its lines, and that it did not propose to have the Red Rock Fuel Company or any other company compete with it for business.

Order Entered Against Railroad.

Proceedings were commenced by the Red Rock Fuel Company before the interstate commerce commission last May to require the Baltimore & Ohio railroad to furnish the desired connection. These proceedings resulted in a decision in favor of the Red Rock Fuel Company in an opinion handed down on November 25, and founded on this, an order was entered by the commission requiring the Baltimore & Ohio railroad to desist from discriminating against the Red Rock Fuel Company in favor of other shippers and in favor of itself or to furnish the connection for the Red Rock Fuel Company by December 23, 1905. The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company has failed to comply with the order and has announced its intention to disregard it.

During the proceedings it developed that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company controls the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and that it has an interest in limiting the shipments of coal from the line of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad so as to prevent competition with coal mines on the line of the Pennsylvania railroad.

"A full investigation should be had of all the bituminous coal-carrying railroads reaching Atlantic ports and their relation to each other, and especially the question whether they are interested in coal properties as well as serving the public as carriers.

Commenting upon the letter Mr. Tillman said there should be some law in West Virginia that would give relief in a case of this kind. Senator Elkins stated that there was such a law and said he could not understand why the company had not begun action under it.

"I think that some relief should be provided for cases of this kind," said Mr. Tillman. "A flagrant and outrageous condition of affairs now exists in Pennsylvania where the millionaire railroad men control the anthracite coal production. If this is to be extended to the bituminous coal fields the situation will soon reach that point where the tyranny of corporation control will become unbearable."

The letter was referred to the committee on interstate commerce and it is probable that Mr. Tillman will soon introduce a resolution asking for an investigation of the statements made in it.

Railroads Closely Allied.

The Pennsylvania railroad owns all the stock of the Pennsylvania Company which was formed in 1870 for the purpose of operating in the interest of the Pennsylvania railroad the lines wset of Pittsburgh leased or controlled by the Pennsylvania railroad. Among the lines so operated by the Pennsylvania Company are the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis; the Erie & Pittsburgh, the Cleveland & Pittsburgh, the Toledo, Walhonding Valley & Ohio, and the Little Miami. The Pennsylvania Company also operates or is allied with a number of other companies, among them the Vandalia, the Grand Rapids & Indiana, and the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus.

The Pennsylvania railroad acquired interests in the Baltimore & Ohio, the Chesapeake & Ohio, and the Norfolk & Western in 1898-1900, and in 1901 the Pennsylvania railroad acquired the stock of the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Potomac under the title of the Philadelphia, Baltimore & Washington Railroad Company. The Northern Central, a line from Baltimore, Md., to Sunbury, Pa., is controlled by the Pennsylvania railroad.

BIGELOW RULES THE COUNCILS

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case of street improvements the repealer is usually killed by being reported out of committee and indefinitely postponed.

The Vote Tells the Story.

The vote itself tells the best story of the meeting of common council last night and the means used to carry through the deal. The ordinance was passed by a vote of 37 ayes to 10 13-14 noes. The fraction of thirteen-fourteenths of a vote is one of the ridiculous features of the rule established by President Ward that the members of new boroughs annexed to the city shall be entitled to only a fractional vote, although the state law gives them full rights of members of common council.

The thirteen-fourteenths of a vote recorded against the boulevard ordinance represents the votes of one member from the Thirty-ninth ward and of three members from the Fortieth ward. If each of those members were allowed a full vote, as the law intends, the boulevard ordinance would have lacked two votes of the number required to suspend the rules to pass it finally.

Under the peculiar system of representation fixed by the administration for the members from boroughs annexed to the city, 36 votes were required last night to suspend the rules and pass the bill finally. The administration got 37, or one more than necessary. The vote to pass the bill on second reading and the vote to suspend the rules to put it through on third reading and final passage, were the same. The members voted as follows:

For Deal—Barr, Barton, Bockstoce, Bonini, Bright, Collins, Cronmiller, Dengler, Flaherty, Frankel, Fullerton, Gibbon, Hammer, Helmold, Hughes, Joyce, Kalchthaler, Kolbe, Lauth, Lewis, Maslowski, Mathews, McKelvey, McNally, O'Brien, Pfaunkuch, Porter, Rapp, Roenigk, Scott, Semmelrock, Shenkan, Simon, Taylor, Wallace, Walls, Zeuger.—37.

Against Deal—Bailey, Bergmann, Brand, Girdwood, Johns, Martin, Milby, Morin, McKnight, O'Brien, Perley, Rapp, Roenigk, Clinton, Gray, Sutherland, Dietrick.—16 13-14.

Vote on the Brand Resolution.

The Brand resolution to investigate the boulevard scandal and the procuring the franchise, was killed by a vote of 32 to 14 13-14. On the latter proposition the members divided as follows:

For Investigation—Bergmann, Brand, Barton, Girdwood, Johns, Lewis, Martin, Milby, Morin, McKnight, O'Brien, Perley, Rapp, Roenigk, Clinton, Gray, Sutherland, Dietrick.—14 13-14.

Against Investigation—Barr, Bonini, Bockstoce, Bright, Collins, Cronmiller, Dengler, Flaherty, Frankel, Fullerton, Gibbon, Hammer, Helmold, Hughes, Joyce, Kalchthaler, Kolbe, Lauth, Maslowski, Mathews, McKelvey, McNally, Pfaunkuch, Porter, Scott, Semmelrock, Shenkan, Simon, Taylor, Wallace, Walls, Zeuger.—32.

The boulevard ordinance was passed after vain attempts by Messrs. Brand and Martin to amend it. J. M. Morin first moved to indefinitely postpone the ordinance. The motion received only 9 13-14 votes, against 35 votes. Speaking on the ordinance Mr. Brand said:

"It is illegal for the city to give up this thoroughfare to a corporation and put a mortgage on it for 45 years. Who is the instigator of this ordinance? I would like to know from the Twenty-first ward member who introduced it. (Twenty-first ward member, Robert Porter, did not answer.) Who has been given the right by the city, or councils, to make such an agreement? As soon as you pass this ordinance the proceeding in the United States court to prevent the laying of tracks on the boulevard is stopped.

"The United States commissioner has said that as soon as this ordinance is passed the case in court is closed and I would like to know if this agreement cannot afterward be repealed by the new councils? Who is engineering this deal? If this man is honest he will have the boulevard franchise repealed instead of giving a mortgage on the boulevard and putting a halter around the necks of the members of this council."

Roenigk Causes a Smile.

A. G. Roenigk acted as spokesman for the administration, as he did at the previous meeting. "We need a driveway to the East End," he said. "The harm was done when the franchise was given. I can see no other way to remove the injury. To give up a street to a corporation without any compensation or return to the city is an outrage that ought to be damned forever. I am assured that the removal of the line in the boulevard means an underground line to the East End within five years."

Mr. Roenigk's statement that it was an "outrage that ought to be damned forever," to give up a street to a corporation without compensation, was received with a great deal of amusement by members who remembered his vote for the Philadelphia Company and the Duquesne Light Company in October, 1904, which gave both of those corporations valuable franchises absolutely free of any compensation to the city.

"If this ordinance is passed to give the Philadelphia Company the Grant boulevard for 45 years, the city will be buncoed," said W. A. Martin. "It behooves the members of councils who are candidates for re-election to be careful how they vote. There is $300,000 in connection with this ordinance. This is to be paid to certain men as soon as this ordinance is passed and signed by the mayor."

All Safeguards Knocked Out.

Martin moved to amend the ordinance by prohibiting the Philadelphia Company as well as "any other company" from building a line on the boulevard within 45 years. His amendment was laid on the table on motion of John Maslowski by a vote of 34 to 11 13-14. Martin next moved to strike out the clause which exempted only the Grant boulevard and Craig street, Dithridge street and Cherry alley from the car tracks, the effect of this amendment being to keep tracks also off Oliver avenue, Grant street and Dante alley. The amendment was indefinitely postponed on motion of McNally.

Martin offered another amendment of the same character relating to Cherry alley, which was also killed and then Brand moved to amend the ordinance by extending the period of prohibition for track laying on the boulevard from 45 to 99 years. McNally moved to indefinitely postpone Brand's amendment and his motion was carried, 35 ayes to 11 13-14 noes.

Bigelow Blocks Select.

Director Bigelow succeeded yesterday in preventing select council from holding its regular semi-monthly meeting. The director did not want the fight over public lighting reopened, and gave orders for the Citizens councilmen to be absent to prevent a report being made by the special committee appointed to investigate the charges in the Brand resolution, that the Allegheny County Light Company has been violating its franchise agreement with the city.

Dr. H. B. Burns, the minority member of the committee, was prepared to report that evidence had been obtained to sustain the charges of the Brand resolution and that the city was entitled to a rate of $72 per arc light from the Allegheny County Light Company instead of $96. Only nine members answered the roll call.

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Of Furniture and Carpets continues this afternoon and

Every Afternoon at 2 O'Clock.

Were you among the crowd that bid and bought goods at their own price yesterday? If not, better come this afternoon and see what a lot of house furnishings a little money will buy. Not necessary to have all the money, either, for by making a small deposit you may have any goods purchased stored free of charge until March 15, when the balance can be paid.

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Today's 50c Dinner.
Half Spring Chicken,
Broiled with Bacon.
Potatoes, Saute.
Waffles and Coffee.

Come Today For Those Ostrich Plumes At $2.00

A lot came in yesterday morning, the last we will have—or the last we can get, is a better way of putting it—and there is right good choice left for today.

Plumes of generous length, black, white, and all shades, especially that very popular shade, old rose.

These plumes are worth anywhere from $3.00 up to $5.00.

The way to look at an ostrich plume is that it is never out of style.

Women's Clothes. Final Clean-Up.

Here is a statement regarding reduced prices that should commend itself.

Suits—

Eton and long coat effects, that were $40.00 to $60.00, today $25.00; that were $60.00 to $85.00, today, $35.00.

Waists—

White Lawn Waists, trimmed with embroidery and Val. lace, long and short sleeves, at $1.00 from $1.50; at $1.50 from $2.50.

Tailor-made Waists of linen, madras, mohair and wool batiste, at $2.00 from $2.50 and $3.00.

Silk Waists, black and colors, at $3.00 from $5.00 and $7.50; black taffeta at $3.50 from $5.00; silk crepe and lace waists at $9.75 from $15.00 and $18.00.

Skirts—

Special lot of Skirts, some of them advance Spring models, pleated and circular effects, $5.00 from $10.00, $12.00 and $15.00.

Black Coats, made of cheviot and kersey cloth, strapped seams, at $6.00 from $15.00.

Special lot of Coats, hip and three-quarter length, tight and loose-fitting, various materials, various colors, black, gray, mixtures and tan, at $10.00 from $15.00 to $23.50; at $15.00 from $21.00 to $30.00.

Loose-fitting Coats of broadcloth, trimmed with silk braid, choicest colors, at $17.00 from $30.00; at $25.00 from $40.00; at $35.00 from $55.00.

Girls' Clothes—

Misses' White Waists that were $1.00, now 50c.

Misses' and Girls' Bathing Suits that were $2.50, today, 75c.

Girls' Gymnasium Suits that were $2.50, today 75c.

Girls' Cashmere and Serge Dresses that were $4.00, today $2.00.

Girls' Raincoats that were $2.50, today $1.00.

Girls' White Dresses that were $2.50, today $1.00.

Girls' Fine White Bretelle Skirts, sizes 6 to 14 years, that were $2.00, today $1.00.

Girls' Winter Coats, tweeds and chevlots, sizes 6 to 12 years, that were $10.00, today $5.00.

Girls' Fine Cashmere and Russian Dresses that were $8.75, today $5.00.

Negligee and Muslin Garments—

Eider Flannel Dressing Sacques at 25c from 50c; at 40c from 85c; at 50c from $1.00; at 75c from $1.50, and up to $3.50 dressing sacques for $1.75.

Eider Bathrobes, pink and blue, slightly mussed, at $1.75 from $3.75; at $2.00 from $4.25; at $2.25 from $4.50, and up to $5.75 robes for $3.00.

Last of the Remnants of Dress Woolens.

Prices Half, Third, Fourth Regular Quotations.

Those who would like a new dress or skirt or waist pattern of some pretty woolen material should take advantage of this sale today if they would get it for a fraction of the rightful price.

Colored Dress Goods.

25c a Yard for—

Remnants 60c Silk Mixed Plaids.
Remnants 50c Gray Suitings.
Remnants 50c Green Checks.
Remnants 50c Brown Checks.
Remnants 50c Light Checks and Broken Plaids.
Remnants 60c Fancy Mohairs.

35c a Yard for—

Remnants $1.00 All-Wool Seeded Voiles.
Remnants 75c All-Wool Fancy Cheviots.
Remnants $1.00 All-Wool Black and White Voiles.
Remnants $1.25 All-Wool Mixed Panne Cloth.
Remnants $1.00 Imported Check Voiles.

50c a Yard for—

Remnants $2.00 Imported Paris Novelties.
Remnants $1.50 Imported Fancy Cashmeres.
Remnants $1.35 All-Wool Cloth Suitings.
Remnants $1.00 All-Wool Plaid Suitings.
Remnants $1.00 Imported Plain Voiles.
Remnants $1.25 Imported Plaids.

Black Dress Goods.

25c a Yard for—

Remnants 75c Twine Suitings.
Remnants 65c Granite Cloth.
Remnants 60c Melrose Cloth.
Remnants 50c All-Wool Storm Serge.
Remnants 50c Armure Suiting.
Remnants 50c Pebble Granite Suiting.

50c a Yard for—

Remnants $1.00 Fine Surah Serges.
Remnants $1.00 All-Wool Pebble Cheviot.
Remnants $1.25 All-Wool Canvas Cheviot.
Remnants $1.25 All-Wool Basket Cloth.
Remnants $1.25 All-Wool Camel's Hair Canvas.

Cream Dress Goods.

40c a Yard for—

Remnants 75c All-Wool Bedford Cord.

60c a Yard for—

Remnants $1.00 English Cream Mohairs.
Remnants $1.00 English Sicilians.

65c a Yard for—

Remnants $1.50 Imported Cream Bedford Cloth.

Remnant Lots Household Linens.

Odd table cloths, which have no matching napkins, odd dozens of napkins, table linen by the yard, all for the smallest of remnant prices today, the last Remnant Day of January.

Table Damask—

58 and 62 inches wide, Bleached and Cream Damasks, 50c and 60c linens for, a yard.....35c
62 and 68 inches wide, Bleached Damask, 65c and 75c linens, for a yard.....50c

Table Cloths—

Slightly soiled Bleached Damask Cloths, 2x3 yards, $4.25 grade, for, each.....$3.00
Slightly soiled Bleached Damask Cloths, 2½x3 yards, $6.50 grade, for, each.....$4.50
Slightly soiled Bleached Damask Cloths, 2½x3½ yards, $7.25 grade, for, each.....$4.50
Slightly soiled Bleached Damask Cloths, 2½x3½ yards, $11.75 grade for, each.....$7.50
Slightly soiled Bleached Damask Cloths, 2½x4 yards, $12.50 grade for, each.....$7.50

Napkins—

Bleached Damask, 17x17 and 18x18, $1.00 and $1.25 grades for, dozen, 85c
Bleached Damask, 21x21, $1.85 grade for, dozen.....$1.25

Ornamental Linens—

Round Tied Fringe Damask Doylies, 12½c grade for, each.....5c
Teneriffe Lace Doylies, 7x7, 25c grade for, each.....10c

Towels and Toweling—

Hemmed Huck Towels, 12½c grade for, each.....10c
Hemstitched Huck Towels, 20c grade for, each.....15c
Hemmed Huck Towels, 11c grade, for, each.....8c
Checked Glass Toweling, 10c grade, for, a yard.....5c
Bleached Silver Crash, 12½c grade for, a yard.....10c

Remnants of Silk—Last Notch Prices.

All the remnants of silks left from the greatest silk selling we have known for many a day will be out today, ready to change ownership for as low prices as ever we quoted, and well you know what extremely small figures we are wont to name on silks.

60c, 75c, 85c, $1.00 Colored Silks — Remnants Fancy Colored Silks; Remnants Peau de Cygnes; Remnants India Crepes; Remnants Colored Taffetas; Remnants Plaids and Fancy Waisting Silks; 1½ to 15-yard lengths — **25c, 35c, 50c yard**

50c to $1.00 Black Silks — Remnants Crepe de Chines; Remnants Taffetas; Remnants Grenadines; Remnants Indias; Remnants Messalines; Remnants Peau de Soies; Remnants Peau de Cygnes; 2 to 16-yard lengths — **25c, 35c, 50c, 75c yard**

Special Sale Of White Enameled Cooking Utensils

This is a case wherein the housewife is benefited by our accepting the offer of manufacturers to close out certain of their lines. The wares in this sale are the famous Edelweiss and Stransky culinary wares. They have a steel base and are double coated with fine enamel. These are not seconds, but first-class goods in every respect.

Sold for About the Price of Ordinary Ware.

Once again we emphasize the fact that this kitchen ware is double coated on a splendid foundation of steel. Of course the sale will be held in the Housefurnishing Department, West Basement.

Your Choice at 10c.

Milk Pans,
Pie Plates,
Skimmers,
Drinking Cups,
Ladles,
Mixing Bowls,
Basting Spoons.

Your Choice at 25c.

Four sizes of Lipped Saucepans.
Three sizes of Basins.
Five sizes of Mixing Bowls.
Dippers.
Fry Pans.
Sink Strainers.

Your Choice at 50c.

Two sizes of Dishpans.
Two sizes of Pitchers.
Three sizes of Coffee Pots.
Four sizes of Saucepans, with enameled covers.
Five sizes of Preserving Kettles.

Your Choice at 75c.

17-quart Dish Pans.
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Two sizes of extra large Saucepans.
Two sizes seamless Water Pails.
Large size Cooking Pots.

Fine Rugs That Are Mussed.

But no one would hardly notice any blemish and we ask you to be particular to notice the price we are going to sell these rugs for and also the size of the rug. Unless otherwise mentioned there is only one of a kind.

12 feet by 9 feet Wilton Rug, green, was $35.00, today.....$17.50
12 feet by 9 feet Wilton Rug, green, pink, cream, was $35.00 today.....$17.50
12 feet by 9 feet Brussels Rug, blue, was $24.00, today.....$17.00
12 feet by 9 feet Brussels Rug, delft blue, was $24.00, today.....$14.00
12 feet by 9 feet Brussels Rug, green, pink, old gold, was $24.00, today.....$14.00
10 feet 6 inches by 8 feet 3 inches Brussels Rug, blue and red, was $22.50, today.....$10.00
7 feet 6 inches by 6 feet 4 inches Brussels Rug, green, was $11.50, today.....$6.50
9 feet by 6 feet Wilton Rug, blue and red, was $20.00, today.....$12.00
Six odd Wilton Rugs that were $35.00, today, each.....$30.00
A lot of small Domestic Rugs, 63x36 and 72x36, Wilton and Brussels, at greatly reduced prices.
Axminster Mats, the $2.00 grade, for.....$1.25

In the Lace Curtain Department.

Here's where you can rummage to your heart's content. Some of the stuffs you can go through:

A lot of Rope Curtains for half prices.

Fancy Pillows, assorted colors, art satine, 24 inches square, were $1.50, today.....75c

Lot of Tapestry Couch Covers, fringed all round, reversible, were $1.25, today, each.....70c

Remnants of Cretonne, Satine and other drapery stuffs, half prices.

Remnant lots of Window Shades, cloth in different colors and widths, each.....5c

Remnants of Tambour Curtain Swiss Muslin, with ruffles, worth 20c, 25c and 28c, today, a yard.....15c

A lot of Lace Curtain Remnants, only one pair each style, at half original price.

Another lot of Single Strip or Sample Curtains for three-fourths less original prices.

A lot of Nottingham Lace Curtains, many different styles, at 65c from 90c; at 75c from $1.00; at 85c from $1.25; at $1.00 from $1.50; at $1.25 from $1.75, and on to $3.50 Curtains for $2.50 a pair.

A lot of Real French Cluny Lace Curtains at $3.00 a pair from $4.00; at $3.75 from $5.00; at $4.00 from $6.00, and up to $7.50 curtains for $5.50 a pair.

A lot of Irish Point Curtains at $3.75 from $5.00; at $4.00 from $6.00; at $4.75 from $6.50.

A lot of Ruffled Net Curtains at $1.00 a pair from $1.50.

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As was fitting, Gen. Joseph Wheeler was buried with full military honors yesterday in the national cemetery at Arlington. The blue and the gray joined in paying the last tribute. Both north and south the memory of the brave soldier, whose frail body sheltered an indomitable spirit, will be affectionately cherished, for he "fought a good fight."

There is no good reason why congress should not investigate the "community of interests" among railroads, as provided by the resolution adopted in the house yesterday. It may not be assumed in advance of the inquiry this arrangement is wholly evil. If that were taken for granted no investigation would be needed. It is simply a proper subject for inquiry.

United States secret service operatives, it is said, will turn their attention to the discovery and dispersal of anarchistic organizations. The mysterious "Black Hand" organization hardly comes within federal jurisdiction, its operations calling for action by local police authorities, but one cannot help thinking Uncle Sam's detectives would soon put a stop to its murderous work. Not every outrage so attributed is due to the "Black Hand," but there seems no reason to doubt the existence of such an organization in this country.

Director Bigelow, boss of the Citizens party, said the other day of William H. Stevenson, candidate for select council: "Oh, he will not be elected; we will take care of that." Mr. Stevenson was an original Citizens party councilman who refused to "go along" on the boulevard and other franchise steals engineered by the Democratic-Citizens machine. And Mr. Bigelow expects Democratic assistance in defeating Mr. Stevenson. This is part of the scheme to strengthen the machine in councils which is more alarming to the public than it seems to be to Candidate Guthrie.

A further extension of the usefulness of the Carnegie Technical schools was marked last night by the opening of the school for apprentices and journeymen. While fewer than one-third of the eligible students could be admitted, owing to lack of room, still some 200 will follow this practical course, designed to give them a broad knowledge of their chosen trades. The disparity between the number of applicants and the number that can be admitted is striking evidence of the need that has long existed for such an institution.

In the report of the secretary of internal affairs, just issued at Harrisburg, attention is called to the necessity for legislation that will prevent the creation of new railroad crossings at grade within this state. It is a pertinent reminder. Grade crossings are a dangerous survival of the primitive days of railroading. They should no longer be permitted. Moreover, there should be law for the arrest and punishment of any person detected in trespassing on railroad tracks. These subjects should not be overlooked by the next regular session of the general assembly.

While Candidate Guthrie has been giving out numerous interviews tending to indicate his belief that District Attorney Stewart should take some action on the boulevard franchise grant, he has, apparently, done nothing to prevent railroading through of the ordinance intended to ratify that grant. As a reform candidate for mayor and a champion of the people, Mr. Guthrie could not be engaged in better work than helping to stop this ordinance. His organs are also singularly silent on this phase of the subject, though kicking up a tremendous cloud of dust around the district attorney's office. Are they trying to divert public attention?

Residents of both Berlin and Vienna are beginning to realize, as we in this country cannot, the horror of the situation in Russia, with so many living object lessons before them in the persons of refugees from that unhappy land. Already Vienna is facing the problem of caring for the large number of Russian fugitives whose supply of money, which they brought with them, is beginning to run low. There is an Austro-Russian Aid association, but its funds are exhausted, and the municipality declares itself unable to support the strangers. Money collected in the United States is being distributed to sufferers now in Russia, and they would certainly seem to need it most.

The greatest enterprise in the way of newspaper exploitation ever attempted in Washington county was the Monday issue of the Washington Observer, which comprised 32 pages of ably written and well edited matter concerning the financial and business progress of that wealthy county. Most of the advancement has been made along the lines of the development of the coal resources of the county and the contingent increase in industrial concerns that are dependent on this fuel. The prosperity of our neighbor adds to the community of interest with Pittsburgh, adding to the wealth and prosperous conditions of this city without robbing Washington and Washington county of one cent. Indeed, the propinquity to Pittsburgh is one of the secrets of our enterprising neighbor's progress.

The Bargain Wins.

Common council last night voted to ratify the shameful boulevard bargain, and, at the same time it voted down the resolution proposing an investigation of the original franchise. A large majority of the votes for this purpose were obtained from the Democratic-Citizens, encouraged by the Bigelow prognostication of their re-election as a result of the fresh Democratic-Citizens coalition.

By this action the city agrees to not grant any franchise for 45 years in the boulevard, Craig and other streets. The traction company is to remove the 200 feet of track laid in the boulevard before the beginning of the suit of the Voters' Civic league, alleging bribery and corruption in the passage of the Grant Street and Liberty Street railway franchise. The railway retains all the rights specified in Cherry alley, Oliver avenue, Strawberry alley, etc. It also retains entire the other franchises granted at the same time to the same syndicate in gross violation of the Democratic-Citizens pledge to exact compensation for all franchises.

This arrangement which leaves the purchaser of these franchises in full possession of all the streets in which it desires to lay tracks and prohibits the city from granting rights over the streets in which the holder does not desire to build, is called a restoration! If bribery, as charged by the Civic league, secured one of these franchises it secured all of them. If the grant of the boulevard was stained by corruption, the same smear rests on the grant of Cherry and Strawberry alleys. By this one-sided bargain the traction concern is allowed to hold these streets without compensation by merely agreeing to keep off the boulevard for 45 years, during which time it does not expect to need a line there.

For these reasons Mr. Stevenson properly characterized this ordinance just passed as a greater crime than passage of the original franchise. If the allegations of the Voters' Civic league are true, as to bribery and corruption, this bargain is in the nature of compounding a felony. The voting down of the resolution for an investigation was quite in keeping with the other work. There is now no recourse except in the county courts, which ruled in the Civic league case that plaintiff must file a bill of particulars before proceeding. On that account the case was removed to the United States court, where it reached a compromise. There is one other means, however, of preventing repetition of the disgraceful chapter, namely, political defeat of the Democratic-Citizens machine and all it stands for.

Send the Probe Home.

While the Democrats at Harrisburg seized on disclosures affecting the acturial fees of the insurance department to manufacture partisan capital, the Republicans have given it a more far-reaching turn. They propose an investigation that shall be exhaustive and that will go back to the beginning. Several administrations are involved and if there has been any wrong doing under any of them it should be fully exposed.

Meantime Senator Fox has introduced a remedial bill, to make improper practices impossible in the future. It provides for reduction of actuary fees to one-half of one cent and for their payment into the state treasury, the actuary to receive, instead, a fixed salary. This comes under the call of Gov. Pennypacker for abolishment of fees in the office of the insurance commissioner. It will not be pretended the legislature is an ideal body, but as far as the special session has gone the Republican membership has earned credit for trying to better the system, while the Democrats have been playing exclusively for partisan capital.

Every Inch a King.

King Christian IX. of Denmark, whose death yesterday has placed most of the royal houses of Europe in mourning, was conspicuous among modern monarchs for his regal bearing and his possession of what are popularly regarded as kingly attributes. Comparisons are odious, but while fellow sovereigns of Denmark's late ruler may enjoy the admiration and respect of their people, it is a question whether they are held in such affectionate regard. King Christian displayed a personal interest in the welfare of his people which is illustrated by anecdotes told to every visitor to Copenhagen. While the growth of parliamentary power in recent years curtailed the authority of the Danish monarch, his influence on legislation was consistently exerted on behalf of the rights of the people. He was a singularly approachable king and delighted in the redress of grievances brought to his personal attention.

It is significant of the quality of Denmark's royal family that while the nation over which it rules is among the smallest and weakest, it has furnished occupants for most of the thrones of Europe. King Christian was prouder of no title than that of "Grandfather of Europe," bestowed upon him in jocular recognition of his relationship to other rulers. His life was unstained by scandal and his by no means inconsiderable abilities were devoted solely to the advancement and prosperity of his nation. The traditional ideal of a king has few representatives nowadays, but Christian IX. fell not far short of realizing it. The expressed opinion of one of his distinguished subjects will doubtless be echoed by many more, that he was "every inch a king."

Greater Pittsburgh, at Once.

Rumors reach Pittsburgh that some one at Harrisburg is prepared to offer an amendment to the Greater Pittsburgh bill that will make it ineffective until 1909. We hope these reports are untrue. There is no sense in such an amendment. Its only effect would be to give the measure a political aspect which would be a gross injustice. Aside from its possible political effect the delay in bringing about consolidation would inflict a hardship on the people.

Our Harrisburg advices say the chamber of commerce bill was reported from committee last evening without amendment. So far good. Every Allegheny county member of the house should be on guard to see that no amendment, such as is referred to, shall be engrafted on the act during its consideration in the house. The measure provides an orderly process for taking care of the officials of the two cities and those to be elected next month. It matters nothing whether the mayors be Republicans or Democrats for the purposes of the bill and this question need not and should not be considered by the legislature.

Greater Pittsburgh is a measure of civic economy and more efficient administration. It is a measure in the public interest for the welfare of the people. There should be no undue delay in bringing it about. It is unfortunate the act of 1905 did not pass the test of the courts, for if it had Pittsburgh and Allegheny would not now be holding separate elections. That delay cannot be helped now, but no political or partisan prejudice should be permitted to impose another.

Jack London Loose Again.

Possibly Jack London feels disappointed at the non-success of his society for the propagation of socialism among college students. At any rate he has been talking again in a reckless manner. Jack London's pen has never written such foolish and dangerous doctrines as his tongue has uttered. For this, at least, we may be thankful. Jack London, the writer, has admirers for his bizarre views of some things and his ready expression. Jack London, the socialistic orator, appeals to quite a different following. Which kind does he prefer for friends? He cannot retain both.

Any man who says he thinks and speaks of the assassin as his comrade is treading on dangerous ground when he parades this opinion before an American audience. Friends of London have observed his trend toward the wildest extreme of anarchy with growing anxiety. He began, as many do, with espousing the mildest theories of socialism. Gradually he became more radical, until now no street corner demagogue exceeds London in the violence of his utterances. The young author will carry few of his literary followers with him into the nihilist camp. London the socialist is to London the novelist as Mr. Hyde to Dr. Jekyll. And it must be remembered Dr. Jekyll did not conquer Mr. Hyde. It was Hyde who ruled and ruined.

Jacob Riis denies he said Roosevelt would be a candidate again—only that he would continue fighting. Why should Riis go out of his way to proclaim that self-evident fact?

Czar Nicholas has turned his grateful face to Germany, and whispers: "Brother, dearer than an ally." This is a reminder to French bankers that other people have money to lend.

A Denver court has decided it is not necessary for a hotel keeper to furnish toothpicks with a meal. Some day the west will be completely civilized.

Those nations which are planning to send wedding presents to Washington should kindly consider the little matter of customs duties in connection.

Practical jokers are now employing wireless telegraphy to send fake messages to ships 500 miles at sea. This is certainly carrying a joke too far.

China's commissioners who are studying our civilization go to New York this week—happily after the close of the recent scandal show.

Jingoes are beginning to lose interest in the Moroccan conference. Somebody seems to have given the powers a dose of soothing syrup.

South African natives refer to the automobile as the "steam ox," probably on the theory that it sometimes gets "stalled."

Metropolitan occupants of glass houses are not anticipating the trial of Col. Mann with the keenest pleasure.

A correspondent says the mild winter has not seriously affected business conditions. Ask the coal dealers.

President Roosevelt admits having a few fads and fancies, but not the kind that cost $1,500 a volume.

Thomas Dixon also indulged in a little incendiary oratory Sunday. It was a great day for fireworks.

Jack London is young and may live long enough to be ashamed of ever advocating assassination.

Subpoena servers in New York are exhibiting a commendable disposition to earn their pay.

A Plague on All Houses.

"The House of Silence," like "the House of Mirth" and "the House of Scandal," finds this rather a hard time to do business, but for different reasons, of course.—New York Tribune.

QUIET OBSERVATIONS ON WAYS OF WORLD

Even Baldheads Have Something to Be Truly Thankful for.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Great Caesar's classic head was bare,
And likewise Socrates';
Peter and Paul were forced to wear
Thin capillary fleeces;
Shakespeare, earth's literary king,
And Johnson, Pope and Gibbon,
Being short of hirsute covering,
Wore wigs tied deft with ribbon.

But Achan, J. Iscariot,
Ananias (of truth chary),
Herod, the Pharisees I wot,
All sported caputs hairy;
Later came Danton, Robespierre,
And Marat, bloody trio;
Guy Fawkes and Jeffries, Glencoe Stair,
Thick-thatched like fiddling Nero.

Nor will the eye, in sooth, oft see
Bald Hottentot or Arab,
Kamchatkan, aborignee,
Kurd or man-eating Carib;
Nay, nay, but of the human breed
The greater in earth's story,
Are those who lead in thought and deed,
Crowned not with hair, but glory!
—New York Sun.

We are all kickers, more or less, but if you will go over your own particular case carefully and honestly you will be forced to admit that while you have some things to complain about you have many more to be thankful for.

If you are baldheaded, or tending that way, you may find some consolation in the lines given above.

And then they do say that baldheaded people do not have consumption.

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Instead of railing at the fate for having made you bald, or crosseyed, or redhaired, it will be even so much better for you to make up a list of great and famous persons afflicted as you are.

The list of red-heads might be headed with Socrates, followed with those of St. Paul, Queen Elizabeth, Thomas Jefferson and others including yourself.

The other fellow may, and can, trump up a more or less formidable list against you. But don't let that bother you, not a little bit, for there is more for us to be thankful for than to kick about.

But if you are a kicker, you will be able to find something to kick about, even if you are a bachelor.

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Dear Q. O.—I have read with much interest the various comments in your column on the subject of matrimony, principally because I have had serious thoughts in that direction myself. I have had a fear, however, that it was too expensive a luxury for a man of modest income to think of indulging in.

I have had many talks with those having experience regarding the sum necessary to run a household, etc., and the estimates for running the table have been placed variously at from $4 to $7 a week.

In a Sunday paper I read over the menu for a week prepared by a woman who runs her table on $4 50. Here are some of the items:

Sunday dinner, roast veal.
Monday dinner, veal broth.
Tuesday dinner, cold veal.
Wednesday dinner, veal soup.
Thursday dinner, hash (presumably veal).
Friday dinner, veal soup.
Saturday dinner, warmed veal with dumplings.

In her price list she gives: "Veal neck, three pounds and a half, 25 cents!"

How long would it take that kind of a diet to turn a good young fellow into a bawling calf?

Why don't you get some figures from some of our young housewives as to the cost of "running their tables" and see if their experiences would be any better than the four-fifty-a-week woman.

Until I have something more alluring held out to me than the above bill, my advice to young bachelors who have sufficient income to get three square meals a day is to follow the counsel of the priest who said: "Command a wedded life, but remain a bachelor."

YOUNG BACH.

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What has veal to do with love, anyway, unless with that brand known as calf love? Whether young bachelors are troubled with this the same as young men has not been shown by our correspondents, but it is possible, or even probable, that having had a bad dose of it they have never gotten rid of it. Naturally all such would have an aversion to veal.

It has been said that the best way to teach a boy to swim is to pitch him into deep water, telling him to "sink or swim," "survive or perish."

A great many good husbands have been made by plunging men into the sea of matrimony, where they had to get busy right off in order to keep afloat.

Love never gets hungry, they say, hence it is not likely to balk at victuals, even if composed chiefly of veal.

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Mr. Quiet Observer—Why is love so often made the subject of jest? People who are thought to be in love are often ridiculed. May this not in some measure be accounted for by the fact that people who think themselves in love are often mistaken? Sometimes, too, they show their feelings, or what they consider to be their feelings, so plainly in public that strangers, wiser than they in the art of love, smile in spite of themselves.

In true love there is no room for jest, no chance for error. The heart's purest affection is never given, the depths of love never stirred but by similar feelings in the breast of another.

Some natures are capable of stronger love than others, just as some people are stronger intellectually or physically than others. The real proof of love is in its unselfishness. In this, too, lies its strength and its magnetism. A daughter's love, instinctive in itself, when nourished by the loving care and unselfish attentions of a father, will grow so strong that, deprived of this love and care the world seems empty, the heart for a time incapable of any other affection. There is no surer way to win love than by giving love freely. Not necessarily in openly expressed words, but by those little attentions and thoughtful acts that promote the happiness of the one whose affection is desired. If we succeed in making ourselves essential to the happiness of those about us they will love us, though sometimes unconscious of it.

Some natures are more fickle than others. Or, perhaps, they are endowed with greater desire for love so that the heart is not satisfied unless basking in the living love of another heart.

There are those whose hearts dwell in the past more than the present, who can look back over a score of years with longing for the voice silenced by death and the smile hidden by the grave.

When Hopeful speaks of personal culture and its pleasures he says something not only worth remembering, but advises what is absolutely essential if we are to become what God meant us to be. The lives of many are so burdened with care, so filled with actual labor, that only in the satisfaction of a true and noble life can they find any real happiness. It is their all, and all that, for them, makes the present life worth living.

If self-control and right living are essential to present happiness, what hope can we have for the future without them?

SCRIBBLER.

The Unfair Fee System.

Under the inheritance tax law of Illinois the state will receive more than $1,000,000 from the estate of Marshall Field. Under the same law the treasurer of Cook county will receive a commission amounting to some $20,000 for collecting the tax. This illustrates one of the beauties of the fee system—for Illinois county treasurers.—Hartford Courant.

PITTSBURGH WILL BE SIXTH CITY IN 1910

Expert Estimates Increase of Industrial Centers Based on Building Operations.

The interest aroused in the urban growth in the United States has led an expert statistician who has had practice in the census bureau to formulate an estimate of the probable population of the 15 chief cities of the country in 1910, with the approximate gain in the current decade. The predictions are backed by very sound reasons, and according to the figures Greater Pittsburgh is destined to be the sixth city in population. Here are the estimates:

City.	Population.	Gain.
New York city	4,437,202	1,000,000
Chicago	2,288,575	600,000
Philadelphia	1,818,697	525,000
St. Louis	975,238	400,000
Boston	749,892	180,000
Pittsburgh-Allegheny	626,512	175,000
Baltimore	608,957	100,000
Cleveland	601,768	220,000
San Francisco	567,382	165,000
Buffalo	472,887	120,000
Detroit	410,424	125,000
Milwaukee	408,315	123,000
Cincinnati	405,902	90,000
Washington	400,718	122,000
New Orleans	377,100	90,000

"These estimates are founded on past gains, building statistics, city directories, local censuses and personal observation in several of the towns. They do not allow New York and Chicago any material increase over their enormous gains in 1900. Philadelphia fares better in his tabulation, chiefly because its gain in 1900 was comparatively small. The territory now composing New York city made a net gain in 1900 of 929,728 people. In the same decade Chicago gained 588,725, a little of it by annexation, and Philadelphia only 246,733. All three, however, claim a much greater increase than is here assigned them.

Sensational Gains.

"St. Louis, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Boston and San Francisco will show large gains, sensational ones probably. Their steady expansion is reflected in the unparalleled building operations, extending back three or four years. The Lake Superior and local iron industries, of which both Cleveland and Pittsburgh are the chief beneficiaries, are responsible for the great boom in these two cities. If anything, the reported building operations in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Ore., and Seattle indicate a greater urban growth on the Pacific coast than hereabout.

"Among the smalled cities there will be some extraordinary percentage gains, and the aggregate increase of some of them will be imposing. Kansas City, Indianapolis, Denver, Los Angeles, Seattle and Toledo will make great jumps in population.

"Here is a careful estimate from the same high authority on the probable population of all the towns in 1910 above or likely to pass the 150,000 mark, yet none of which are likely to pass into the class covered by the first tabulation:

City.	Population.	Gain.
Newark	336,070	90,000
Kansas City	303,752	140,000
Indianapolis	284,164	115,000
Jersey City	266,432	60,000
Minneapolis	282,718	60,000
Louisville	254,721	50,000
Providence	240,397	65,000
Denver	222,858	100,000
Toledo	221,822	90,000
St. Paul	218,065	50,000
Los Angeles	212,479	110,000
Rochester	207,808	45,000
Columbus, O.	185,580	60,000
Worcester	163,421	45,000
Seattle	160,671	80,000
Portland, Ore.	160,426	70,000
St. Joseph, Mo.	157,979	55,000
Memphis	152,320	50,000

Figures Appear Reasonable.

"These gains are mainly all considerable advances on the gains shown by the census of 1900. It must be remembered, however, that there was great business depression for a large part of the last decade, whereas uniform prosperity has characterized the present, with a strong likelihood of its continuance to the end. On the whole most of the figures look reasonable from all the information one gathers.

"In 1900 the census showed that eleven of the smaller cities passed up into the 100,000 class. That of 1910 is likely to carry at least twenty more above that mark, viz: Lowell, Cambridge, Portland, Ore., Atlanta, Grand Rapids, Dayton, Seattle, Hartford, Reading, Oakland, Cal.; Somerville, Hoboken, Kansas City, Kas.; Albany, Richmond and probably both Lawrence and New Bedford, Mass.; Camden, Wilmington, Del.; Bridgeport and Salt Lake City."

Four Men Against One Woman.

There is an interesting campaign for school director in Susquehanna township, adjoining Harrisburg. Miss Mary McAllister is a candidate, and four men and running against her and claiming that she should be defeated because she is a woman. Miss McAllister is putting up a good fight. She is a Daughter of the Revolution and shows the pluck and determination of her galiant ancestry.—Scranton Truth.

"Frisco" Is Becoming Frisky.

The tendency of the American people to take the short cut whenever they can has long been manifested in the popular reference to San Francisco as "Frisco." Probably the abbreviated designation is used almost as frequently as the full name. But now the people of San Francisco are making a protest and want it clearly understood that Frisco is altogether too undignified.—Spokesman Review.

Up to Uncle Sam to Show.

A lecturer on the Panama canal says the French raised $325,000,000 for the work, spent a third of it in actual labor, wasted a third and stole the rest. Now let Uncle Sam show the world how to get a dollar's worth of every dollar spent in that noted locality.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Again It Happened in Kansas.

When a widow has three lovers at one time and they all call at once, it requires a cool head, a steady hand, and a heart of steel to guide them through so none will suspect the other and all will be satisfied. This little drama was acted in Oberlin, Kas., recently, and the chief performer says it was smoothly and skilfully accomplished.—Kansas City Journal.

BIOGRAPHY IN INSTALLMENTS.

When Willie Smith was one day old
His father bought his crib,
Some trinkets for his hands to hold,
His bonnet and his bib—
In fact, the necessary raiment
Upon an easy weekly payment.

When Willie Smith was quite a lad
He was like other boys;
He was not happy till he had
His complement of toys,
His father laid out every Sunday
The payment to be made Monday.

When Billy Smith had finished school
To college he was sent.
His mother said: "Pa, send him. You'll
Be very glad he went."
So Billy went, but on condition
Each week they'd send on his tuition.

When William Johnson Smith was wed
He took his happy spouse
To their new furnished home, instead
Of to a boarding house.
He said he thought by being thrifty
Each week they could remit twelve-fifty.

When William Smith (the second) came,
His father bought a crib,
A silver mug that bore his name,
A bonnet and a bib.
Each week the grim collector's call meant
They had to pay a small installment.
—American Illustrated Magazine.

GERMANY'S PROGRESS UNDER PROTECTION

Comparison Between Workmen and Wages of the British and German Toiler.

A writer in the Manchester (England) Times contributes a very interesting letter on the progress made by the German working classes under protection, and draws a few comparisons between them and the British working classes. "In the first place," writes the Times correspondent, "it must be confessed that the comparison is by no means an easy one to make; when it is made it will be found that the advantage is not so much in favor of this country as many people imagine. But leaving out of account, for the moment, the question of comparison, there is abundant evidence to prove that within the last quarter of a century—a period during which the policy of protection has been pursued—Germany has witnessed a great advance in the well-being of the working classes. No rational person would, however, argue that the general prosperity of Germany is entirely, or even directly, the result of protection; but what does appear beyond dispute is that protection as praticed in Germany has not been inconsistent with great prosperity.

"Those who have examined the position of affairs in relation to Germany know that the improved condition of the German working classes is mainly the result of social reform both by means of legislation and private reform endeavor in many directions. Von Berlepsch, speaking as Prussian minister of commerce, when presiding over a conference on industrial legislation at Berlin, stated that the condition of the industrial wage-earners in Germany had become better in recent decades, and that with some industries and classes of workmen the improvement had been quite considerable, altogether apart from the blessings, which could hardly be overestimated, of the insurance against sickness, old age and infirmity. Absolute permanent poverty, he said, had considerably diminished. Even the leaders of Social Democracy recognized that the theory of the progressive impoverishment of the masses could no longer be maintained. Slowly, and by little steps, the well-being of the general body of the people was rising, and a considerable proportion of those classes of the population which formerly obtained a bare subsistence had now made their way into a middle class, and enjoyed a fairly adequate income.

Factors to Be Considered.

"It has been said that the tariff system of a country is but one of the many factors entering into its general prosperity, as its influence for good or bad may be strengthened or weakened by other causes, while at the same time it is very difficult to trace its separate effect. But during the present election campaign Germany has frequently been quoted by opponents of fiscal change as proving the case against protection, and one has heard a good deal about the difference in the standard of comfort enjoyed by the working classes in Germany and the working classes in England, the case, so far as the non-fiscal reformer is concerned, being made out in favor of the British working man. On the one hand the Blue Book published in 1903 has been quoted as showing that the average level of industrial wages in Germany is only two-thirds of that in the United Kingdom, but the very people who have used this argument have ignored the conclusion contained in the self same report, that in the United States the average level of wages is one and a half times as great as in this country. If one chances to direct attention to this palpable omission he is met with the rejoinder, 'Ah, yes, but conditions are different,' a remark which applies with equal force to Germany. To draw any real comparison between England and Germany we should have to go back a long way in our investigations. It must not be forgotten that Great Britain has had no war at home—war that is which has directly touched the daily life of the people—since the days of the Roundheads and the Cavaliers, whereas Germany in the period since then has been torn asunder and rent from side to side by wars and bloodshed on her own soil. Indeed, it was not till the dawn of the nineteenth century that Germany, struggling against these tremendous odds, raised her head, and began the era of industrial freedom which has made such progress in the past twenty or thirty years.

Mistaken Notions Corrected.

"A German statistician who has gone carefully into the subject concludes that while in most industries wages are considerably lower, there are some in which the difference has been clearly diminished. In regard to woolen weavers and spinners, though the top wages are not reached, 'the center of gravity,' to use the professor's own words, is somewhat higher than in England; while in the most important German industry of all, the manufacture of iron and steel, wages on the average are not lower but probably even higher than in England. These views are supported by a report of a delegation organized by the British Iron Trade Association to inspect Belgian and German works a few years ago. The delegation was composed of seven employers' representatives and seven officers of large trade unions. The conclusions arrived at are extremely guarded, but the following extract from the report is highly important: 'There is not the difference in the wages paid as between Germany and this country that is commonly supposed to exist, taking into consideration the whole of the manufacturing departments in iron and steel works. In other words, the general distribution of wages is more evenly balanced, and we did not find the extremes that obtain amongst English workmen.' This is a significant admission, and when taken in conjunction with the fact that in Germany food is much cheaper than in England, the difference in the matter of wages between the English and German working classes, admitting again that such difference exists, is more than accounted for. Add to this the fact that German housewives are economical in the preparation of food, and that rents are relatively lower in Germany than in England, and we see what becomes of the bogey of the impoverishment of German working classes under protection."

Experiment Might Be Worth While.

The Boston Herald suggests that we might recruit sailors in the Philippines. The home supply is short. There are many efficient Lascar sailors (Malays) on British merchant vessels. The Sulu pirates are noteworthy as fine sea dogs. Why not try the Moros?—Philadelphia Record.

IT IS TO SMILE.

"Do you think your daughter could live on my salary?"

"Perhaps she could. But what would you do?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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"A hypocrit," said Uncle Eben, "is a man dat thinks he's smaht enough to fool de recordin angel hisself."—Washington Star.

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Her Ladyship (who is giving a servants' ball—to butler)—We shall begin with a square dance, and I shall want you, Wilkins, to be my partner. Wilkins—Certainly, m'Lady, and afterwards I presoom we may dance with 'oom we like?—Punch.

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Sandy Pikes—Yes, mum, thought perhaps I would remind yer of yer husband. The Lady (astonished)—You? What in the world is there about you to remind me of my husband? Sandy Pikes—Why, mum, I am wearin' de necktie yer gave him for a Christmas gift.—Chicago News.

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"Stay," said the reformer to the man who had just raised his glass. "Don't you know, my friend, that no man can serve two masters?" "G'long with you," replied the other, setting down the empty glass; "there's our friend, the barkeep, here, serving schooners every minute, and if schooners ain't two-masters, I'm a Dutchman."—Boston Transcript.

STORIES FOUND IN THE LOBBIES

Interesting Happenings Concerning the People Who Are Traveling.

"Many have called, but none are given," is said to be the title of a new poem that is being composed in the offices of Robert Pitcairn, the resident assistant to the president of the Pennsylvania railroad. Yesterday there was a sad stanza added to the "pome." "Big Roge" O'Mara was turned down. The best he got was a promise from "Uncle Bob" that O'Mara's name would be the first one entered in the "free ride" stakes.

Frequently O'Mara has business in Philadelphia and New York, and he has been accustomed to merely nod to the inquiring conductor and point to his vest pocket. Then all that remained was to pay his Pullman fare and give the porter 25 cents in the morning for a "brush and shine." On the first day of the present year the clarion call of "25" was sounded throughout Pennsylvania on transportation. But deep down in their hearts there were several persons in Pittsburgh who thought that that signal was only meant to frighten off common councilmen who tried to send their whole ward to Atlantic City free. Roger O'Mara was one of the "deep down in their hearts." Yesterday he went to Union station to see Mr. Pitcairn. After the preliminary greetings, O'Mara gave a warning cough and said:

"Bobby, I want to go to New York and only want to pay fare from Philadelphia."

"Can't do it, Roge, old boy, answered Mr. Pitcairn. The curfew has sounded, and the passes are sleeping."

O'Mara could not understand it. "Why, Bobby, this is the first time in my life I have been refused a pass. It gives me a peculiar feeling. Am I about to spend my money for a trip to the 'big city?'"

"That is just how the situation looks, Roge," was the smiling answer, "but this much I will promise, if I give any transportation at all, you will be the first man to get it." O'Mara then left and a few minutes later was making faces at the ticket clerk as he handed over a bill that looked like a twenty.

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Studying Financial Conditions.

Bernard Dernburg, director of the "Bank fur Handel und Industrie," or Anglicized, for the Bank of Commerce and Industry of Berlin, Germany, accompanied by two other representatives of the bank, are spending 24 hours in Pittsburgh in a study of financial conditions. They arrived here from New York yesterday morning and spent a part of the day conferring with local financiers, and in the afternoon were shown a part of the Pennsylvania's terminal lines by General Agent Jaggard. They were impressed with the great strides of the Pennsylvania in extending the freight handling lines and facilities. Mr. Dernburg and others of the bank are interested in the Pennsylvania directly through stock held by them in Germany. The three men will leave for the east this morning on the New York limited, and will spend some time in conference with Philadelphia and New York commercial and railroad financiers before returning to Berlin.

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Masons Off for Canada.

Sixty Scottish Rite Masons left last night for Hamilton, Ont., to attend the big reunion of Scottish Rite bodies at that place. The delegation from Pittsburgh and its vicinity traveled in three special Pullman cars. City Passenger Agent Morris of the Lake Erie accompanied the party.

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Old Arsenal Gradually Passing.

The old Allegheny Arsenal's days are gradually nearing the close. Seventy-five men from the old government fortress, 72 regular men and three commissioned officers, left last night for Fort Porter, Buffalo, in three special cars. The soldiers were in charge of Capt. A. W. Brewster. There are only 15 men now left at the arsenal, 13 regulars and two caretakers, who are in charge of Lieut. James G. McElroy.

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Tin Plate Men Will Take a Run.

Officers of the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company, headed by President Bray and Vice President Pargny, will leave this morning for a day's trip to plants of the company along the Panhandle road and at Sharon. It has been reported that the American company is to purchase the plants of Follansbee Bros. at Follansbee and Wheeling.

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Pythians Gay at Castle Shannon.

Delegations of Knights of Pythias were seen riding out to Castle Shannon last evening from all portions of the Pittsburgh district. The occasion was a banquet by the Castle Shannon lodge No. 501, for visitors from the neighboring lodges. Covers were laid for 75.

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Pittsburghers Go East.

John I. Shaw, former member of the legislature, left last night for Washington. He said that his trip is purely one of private business.

Attorney L. B. Cook, member of the legislature from the Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, went to Harrisburg last night.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Fort Pitt—S. W., E. M. and W. W. Wilson, Clarion; W. J. Williams, Waynesburg; H. H. Cassell, Wheeling; Z. F. Robinson, Fairmont; F. E. Starr, Youngstown.

Lincoln—C. D. Wright, Jr., West Newton; C. W. Upson, Mansfield, O.; E. D. Foster, Johnstown.

Colonial—J. S. Coxey, Mt. Vernon, O.; M. E. Spencer, Clarion; Samuel McGregor, Franklin; S. J. Braughler, Youngstown; G. H. Fisher, Ironton, O.

Schenley—C. L. Thomas, Cincinnati; W. L. Sanford, Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Brooks, New York; C. W. Upson, Mansfield, O.; J. H. Baker, Baltimore; A. W. Allen, John Pitcairn and C. W. Bidwell, Philadelphia; H. A. Cochran, Cleveland; A. D. Smith, Columbus; H. W. Noonan and S. T. McLaughlin, Cincinnati; W. W. Heroy, New York.

Henry—J. B. Campbell and A. B. McDonald, Erie; A. J. Cochran, Dawson; F. B. Dunn, Conneaut, O.; W. E. Gaines, Kenton, O.; T. R. Weymouth, Oil City; E. G. Beatty, Franklin.

Griswold—Joseph Ostheim, Lancaster; J. Beattie, Indiana; Frank Lowry, Steubenville; W. C. Roth, Akron; W. D. Jacobs, Waynesburg; S. W. Ferris and H. J. Reddick, McDonald.

Seventh Avenue—J. T. Maffett, Clarion; E. C. Little, Washington; J. W. Ruth, Scottdale; J. H. Heffernan, Oil City; Arthur Staples, Beaver; W. H. Sairs, Franklin.

Newell—G. B. Harvey, Lisbon, O.; Z. B. Caster, Bradford; R. G. Brier, Columbus; R. E. Hoopes, Donora.

Monongahela—G. C. Thompson and H. A. Keffer, East Liverpool; E. B. Hillegass, Waynesburg; L. W. Eyman, New Castle; J. J. Hoblitzell, Meyersdale.

Boyer—J. A. Gray, Steubenville; P. J. Kane, Warren, O.; H. R. Sheffield, Chicora; W. E. Leard, Livermore; B. C. Strickler, Uniontown.

Anderson—W. J. Hines, Latrobe; Frederick Howard, Dayton; M. M. Davis, Reynoldsville.

Duquesne—L. B. Brownfield and Col. J. A. Pattee, Uniontown; C. A. Aul, Wheeling; Frank Lewis, Leetonia.

Pittsburghers in New York.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—F. A. McDonald, Mrs. McDonald, J. H. Moore, C. N. Heinz.

Manhattan—Mrs. F. W. Smith, Mrs. H. P. Davis.

Fifth Avenue—B. Diamond, L. Van Ullem, L. Goldsmith, E. W. Bausman, Mrs. Bausman, C. Bausman.

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DISCUSS PLANS FOR CAMPAIGN

Candidate Jenkinson Attends Meeting of Republican Committee at Headquarters.

GUTHRIE SHAKES SOME HANDS

The Republican campaign committee met yesterday afternoon at headquarters, and A. M. Jenkinson, candidate for mayor, was present. He listened to the discussion of plans for the campaign, which will soon take on the public meeting phase. The campaign committee is in touch with the situation, and every member is confident that Mr. Jenkinson will be elected by a good majority.

The candidate is continuing his personal canvass among the voters.

The business men's auxiliary campaign committee will meet at Republican headquarters tomorrow at 3:30 p. m., when the share which this important committee is to take in the campaign will be discussed at a joint meeting between it and the campaign committee. The latter body gets in touch with City Chairman M. G. Leslie every day, and each day the hour for meeting on the ensuing day is fixed.

Jonathan A. Perley, one of the Republican candidates for common council in the Fourteenth ward, has withdrawn from the ticket. Opponents of the party are seeking to create the impression that Mr. Perley will not make the fight, believing that the Republican ticket cannot win, but Mr. Perley's friends know that he has contemplated his withdrawal since a few days after the primaries, as his business interests demand so much of his time that he will be unable to conduct the strenuous campaign which his colleagues on the ticket intend to make. Mr. Perley yesterday sent his letter of withdrawal to Alexander McKnight, the chairman of the ward association. The letter is as follows:

It is with deep regret that I ask you to accept my withdrawal on our ticket as a candidate for common council. The only reason I have to offer is stress of business. I would ask you as a friend not to pay any attention to any other comment in connection with my withdrawal.

I want you to believe and also to announce to our political associates that I will do everything in my power, not only to help to elect the ticket from which I withdraw, but I stand ready at any time to give any aid in my power to further the interests of our Republican ward association and the Republican organization of Pittsburgh.

George W. Guthrie yesterday met more than 100 Democrats at their headquarters in Smithfield street. They came from the first 12 wards and from the Fifteenth and Eighteenth. Mr. Guthrie sat on the platform with the chairman of the executive committee, William J. Brennen. He did not make a speech, but after the meeting remained for some time shaking hands. Most of those present were the practical workers of the party.

Mr. Brennen in his remarks urged the holding of ward meetings, suggested that the Democrats get in touch with the Civics and Citizens of their districts; that they meet at one another's houses and work up enthusiasm in that way. Mr. Guthrie, he said, was ready to make a speech in every ward and two or three speeches in some wards, if the committee on speakers and meetings thought it advisable.

Mr. Guthrie will meet the Democrats this evening and for the three nights following at the Democratic headquarters.

Bellevue Republicans Organize.

The Republican executive committee of Bellevue met last night and organized with the following officers: Chairman, William B. Kirker; secretary, George J. Campbell; treasurer, George F. Wright. Ward committees were also organized as follows: First ward—Chairman, John Shriver; secretary, William A. Heckel. Second ward—Chairman, David H. Carbin; secretary, R. C. Rankin. Third ward—Chairman, David J. Marshall; secretary, Albert E. Hummell.

Ingram Independents Nominate.

The Independent party of Ingram last night nominated the following ticket: Burgess, Frederick E. Miller; council, W. J. McElroy, W. D. McDerry; school director, John McBride, Ernest C. Beatty; tax collector, Thomas F. Smith; auditor, three years, Paul A. McGurn; auditor, two years, R. M. Campbell.

HARVARD DROPS PENNSY.

U. of P. No Longer Recognized as Member of Big Four by Cambridge Men.

BOSTON, MASS., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—The University of Pennsylvania is no longer recognized as a member of the big four or as a distinct rival by Harvard, and hereafter that much-coveted 'varsity letter "H" will not be awarded the ball tossers and football men who play against the red and blue. A break in athletic relations has been anticipated. It came tonight when the baseball management announced its schedule, and stated that the "H" was not forthcoming for Pennsylvania games.

Harvard has 26 games booked and a twenty-seventh in case of a tie with Yale. Two games are slated with Yale, Princeton and Pennsylvania and the southern trip is changed somewhat. West Point has been dropped by Harvard on account of the change in the southern trip, notwithstanding the fact Rockwell, a former candidate for the Harvard nine, is captain of the cadets' team.

Fire Destroys Edgewood Home.

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the home of George B. Martin, No. 5 Hutchinson street, Edgewood, last night, entailing a total loss of $3,500, fully covered by insurance. Mr. and Mrs. Martin had been away, and returned about midnight to find their home a mass of flames. The Edgewood and Wilkinsburg fire departments responded to an alarm, but could not save the property. The house was owned by the East Pittsburgh Savings and Trust Company, and was valued at $7,000. Mr. Martin places his loss on furniture at $2,500.

NOTES OF NEARBY TOWNS.

LISTON—Fire of incendiary origin destroyed the barn and its contents on the farm of J. C. Billingsley in Elk Run township, causing a loss of $2,600.

MARIETTA—Because companions teased him about his sweetheart, Wilbert Tice, aged 18, shot himself in the presence of his aged mother. The wound is slight.

CALDWELL—Reverie Allen, aged 11, was instantly killed by the discharge of a shotgun in the hands of his 15-year-old brother at their home, 15 miles west of here. The boys were playing soldier.

CONNELLSVILLE—The alleged heirs at law of Mrs. Eerthanna R. Smith, the late hotel proprietress of Connellsville, filed a petition asking for a revocation of the latter's administration granted Herman M. Kephart.

NEW CASTLE—Officials of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company will arrive here and be guests of George Green, district manager, at a luncheon at the Lawrence club. After inspecting the local plants they will go to Sharon.

CONNELLSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson have applied to Justice W. P. Clark to see if legal steps can be taken to prevent a well-known married man of Connellsville from paying attentions to their 15-year-old daughter, Sarah Johnson.

YORK—Samuel Johnson, a negro, was arraigned here on the charge of cruelty to animals, brought by Lucy A. Harris, also colored. The prosecutor charges the defendant with killing her pet cat. Johnson stated he believed the cat to be a witch.

CLEVELAND—United States Marshal Chandler left here for Philadelphia with the Rev. George M. Atlas, the Syrian, who is wanted by the federal authorities in that city on a charge of conspiring to bring foreigners into the United States on naturalization papers issued to other persons.

NEW CASTLE—Application for charters for a trolley line between this city and Ellwood City will be made by three recently organized companies February 20. The proposed line will form an important link between New Castle and Beaver. It is understood that the project is backed by the Mahoning Valley Traction Company.

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WOULD FORCE ADMISSION OF CHINESE LABORERS

Boycott on American Goods Has Nothing to Do With Treatment of Travelers.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—"The treatment of Chinese travelers and students by the immigration officials of the United States has nothing whatever to do with the Chinese boycott of American goods. The boycott has but one object, and that is the admission of coolie labor into this country."

This statement was made on the floor of the senate today by Senator Dubois of Idaho, and created great interest among the senators. Mr. Dubois was a member of Secretary Taft's party that visited the orient last summer, and on that trip he made a thorough investigation of the boycott, and the causes leading up to it.

Senator Dubois shed much light on the Chinese situation with his remarks. "The boycott amounts to nothing except in the Canton district," said he. "There it is in full force, and when our party was in Hongkong we were advised not to go to Canton, lest we would be insulted or mistreated, in view of the feeling against the Americans. But we went to Canton and we made some investigations that gave us information about the boycott."

L. W. STRAYER.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Mrs. John R. Robinson, Wife of the Mayor of Franklin, Asks for Separation on Statutory Grounds.

FRANKLIN, PA., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Mayor John R. Robertson, who is serving his second term as mayor, was today sued for divorce on statutory grounds, and Mrs. Louise Loehr and Minnie Cobley, both non-residents, are named as co-respondents. Robertson, before becoming mayor, served two terms as prothonotary of Venango county. He is assistant adjutant general on the staff of Brig.-Gen. John A. Wiley, Second brigade, National Guard of Pennsylvania, and in addition to his duties as mayor, has a law practice.

The Robertsons were married in 1881 and have lived together up to the present time. The divorce suit occasioned surprise. Mayor Robertson tonight made the statement that he had no relations whatever with Miss Coffey, and that he had known Mrs. Loehr only in a business way.

STANDARD READY TO QUIT.

Preparation of Suit in Illinois Causes Big Company to Prepare to Suspend in State.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Anticipating the ouster suit in preparation by Maywood Maxon of Decatur, Ill., the Standard Oil Company of Kentucky has made preparations to withdraw from Illinois after January 31. Mr. Maxon was for 30 years an employe of the Standard, but was discharged recently.

In his suit the Standard will be charged with parceling out the state among the Standard Oil Company of Kentucky and two other companies in the western part of the state, supposed to be independents.

Auditors from New York are now checking up the accounts in the territory of the Standard Oil Company of Kentucky preparatory to its withdrawal.

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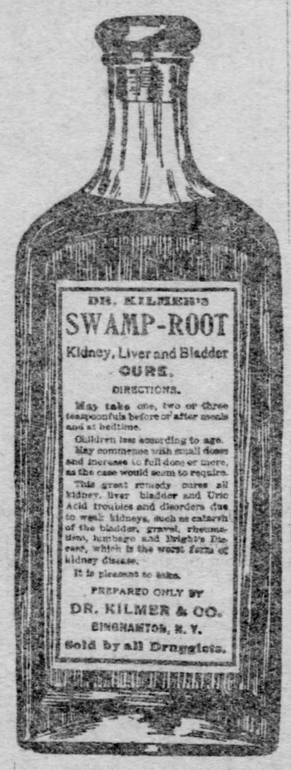
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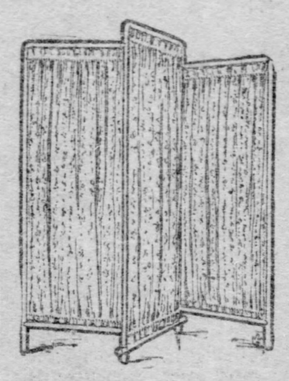

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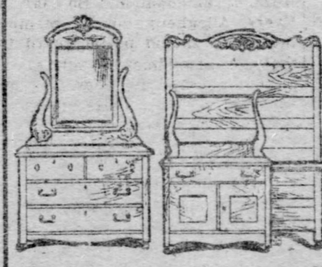

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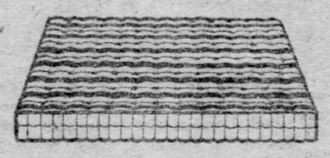

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OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received in the office of the city comptroller of the city of Allegheny until 10 o'clock a. m., on the fifth day of February, 1906, for the erection of barn and pigsties of concrete, or concrete and brick, or brick and frame, in accordance with the specifications therefor prepared by and on file in the office of the architect, William E. Shaman, Empire building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Each bid must be accompanied by a satisfactory bond (trust company bond preferred) in fifty (50) per centum of the amount of the bid. The bids to be opened publicly in the office of the mayor at 10:15 o'clock a. m., on the fifth day of February, 1906.

Right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

JAMES G. WYMAN, Mayor.

HENRY HUNNESHAGEN, Director Department of Charities.

NO SETTLEMENT WITHOUT ADVANCE

President Mitchell Declares Himself With Emphasis in Central Field Conference.

MINERS SOLID FOR DEMANDS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Jan. 29.—President Mitchell of the miners declared with force and emphasis in the central field wage conference today that there would be no settlement unless the miners are granted an advance. He directed his declaration mainly to President Robbins of the Pittsburgh Coal Company. It is not understood from this, however, that Mitchell has burnt his bridges behind him. Such things have been said in the executive sessions of the wage committee before, as they were in open convention two years ago, and yet there was a settlement.

Mitchell stated after the conference this evening that he will stand firmly for concessions for his constituents, but he refrained from discussing to what extreme he would carry his organization on the issues. He could not well say anything else, inasmuch as the scale committee has only started its work, and the miners now stand solidly for their propositions. Today discussion on the miners' proposed advance was deferred on motion of Mr. Robbins, and a long discussion of the demand for the mine run system was followed by a unanimous vote of the miners for and of the operators against. The same action was taken on the demand for a seven-cent differential between pick and machine mining.

The committee will disagree. It will so report to the general conference probably on Wednesday, when the issues will likely be referred to a sub-scale committee which will make a desperate effort to frame an agreement. The Illinois miners will block a settlement without concessions, and their district differences may be left for their own state conference to adjust.

President John H. Winder of the Sunday Creek Company, Columbus, O., already impatient over the complications arising from the cumbersome interstate conference, is ready to leave and arrange a separate settlement of Ohio and Western Pennsylvania operators with their miners.

When the miners and operators of the southwestern field met today, the scale committee of the mine workers presented their demands.

The operators demanded a decrease in wages of 15 per cent, and the open discussion on the floor lasted the greater part of the day. Vice President Lewis was the floor manager for the mine workers.

The long discussion having shown that there was no possibility of an agreement being reached on the floor the demands were referred to the joint scale committee, which went into session at the Claypool hotel.

SOCIETY IS A SUCCESS.

Splendid Showing Made of Kaufmann's Employes' Beneficial and Protective Association Last Year.

The financial condition, membership and splendid relief work of the Kaufmann Employes' Beneficial and Protective association, as brought out by the annual report, show how useful such an institution can be to the attaches of any large business house or manufacturing establishment. The majority of wage earners find their entire salary absorbed by their needs, therefore a disabling accident or a prolonged illness is almost certain to cause deep financial distress. Hence the wisdom of giving up a small portion of one's weekly earnings for protection against the hardships of the period when the regular pay envelope ceases to come for a time.

The fourth annual financial report of the Kaufmann Employes' Beneficial and Protective association shows the following totals:

Balance on hand	$ 4,068 44
Receipts for 1905	6,276 19
Total	$10,344 63
Distributions—	
Sick and death benefits	$3,089 10
Salaries, expenses, etc.	354 13
	3,443 23
Balance on hand	$6,901 40

Almost the entire board of officers was re-elected, the only exception being to fill vacancies, as follows: C. Kline, president; C. A. Filson, vice president; H. Baum, treasurer; J. F. Hughes, secretary. Directors: Miss M. Curry, Miss M. Ward, Miss R. D. Ford, Miss F. M. Irwin, Miss R. Dorsey, Miss A. Stenson, Miss M. Truxall, A. Heckel, R. C. Walker, D. L. Henderson, W. L. Letzkus, A. B. Stutz, A. Thompson, I. Rothstein and Edgar Kaufmann.

THREE MEN UNDER ARREST.

James De Marko, Last of Bailey-Malone Gang, Possessor of Two Revolvers.

James De Marko was arrested yesterday by Special Officers Frank Kearns and John Morgan. His home is at 527 Sixth avenue, and he is the third and last member of the Bailey-Malone crowd. Like his two confederates he is being held on three charges, highway robbery, felonious assault and battery and entering a building with intent to commit a felony, and highway robbery and pointing firearms.

J. H. Werner called at headquarters shortly after De Marko was arrested and positively identified the man as one of a trio who held him up at Forbes and Marion streets last week. De Marko is also being held in connection with a South Side robbery, and the shooting of Joseph Connelly. When arrested he had two revolvers, which carries out the story told by Werner when he said each of the three men who robbed him had two revolvers.

Results in Many New Members.

The revival services being held in the United Presbyterian church at Braddock, in charge of the Rev. Dr. W. W. Orr, evangelist, of Charlotte, N. C., have been very successful. Eighty members were received into the church yesterday. The services will be continued for the present week at least.

Local Church Calls New Pastor.

The Rev. M. D. Tulford of New Sheffield has been tendered a call by the Thirty-third Street United Presbyterian church, and it is said will likely accept. The church has been without a pastor for three months, when the Rev. Albert Flick resigned to go to the United Presbyterian church at Verona.

Will Speak on "Atonement."

Pastors and laymen of all denominations have been invited to attend a meeting to be held in the Y. M. C. A. building on February 12, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Ministerial association. Dr. J. F. Cook, book editor of the Methodist Episcopal church, will deliver an address on "Atonement."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

A. E. Donaly and Agnes Haller, Morris Goodman and Lena Stober, Thomas Walsh and Ellie Shanahan, George Mitchell and Jennie Bowden, W. J. Davis and Mary Matthews, Michael Helebrand and Mathilda Kram, all of Pittsburgh.

Edward R. Walsh and Mary J. Burtnett, James Richardson and Lulu Clark, all of Allegheny.

Henry Nelhous, Jr., and Annie C. Meyers, C. W. Spencer and Clara Miller, all of McKeesport.

James Milligan and Bertha McBeth, Beuna Vista.

G. B. Sweeney and Margaret Jeffries, Woodlawn.

Henry J. Brawley and Elizabeth O'Connell, Braddock.

Leo Rolf and Tickie Kasberger, Mt. Oliver.

Henry A. Bailey and Mary McCabe, Homestead.

Alfred C. Belgle, Oakdale, and Mary Meyers, Cliff Mines; James M. Inhoff, Allegheny, and Ludwena Seufert, Sharpsburg; John R. Wintle, Jeannette, and Madeline Schroeder, Aliquippa; William Thomas, Munhall, and Mary Blane, Thompsons Run; Oliver C. Rath, Turtle Creek, and Jennie G. Michael, Duquesne; James Sours, Hickory, and Hula O'Croak, Collier township; John H. Harley, Reading, and Mary E. Boyd, West Liberty; James Weiss, Greensburg, and Rosie Beck, Pittsburgh; A. L. Brocks, Lancaster, O., and Clara J. Maben Braddock; Robert C. Vance, Pittsburgh, and Emma E. Sempf.

The Death Roll

Attorney A. J. Woolf.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 29.—(Special)—Attorney A. J. Woolf, a Democrat of prominence throughout this state, died here this morning of paralysis. Mr. Woolf was born on a farm in Milton township 56 years ago. He was graduated from Hiram and Mt. Union colleges, and in 1878 was admitted to the bar. He ran for probate judge, but failed of election. He was a member of the Masons, Knights of Pythias and Elks. His widow survives him. Funeral services will be held Wednesday in the court house, this having been decided at a meeting of the bar this morning.

John H. Hunter.

John H. Hunter, aged 71, died at his home in Twenty-eighth street early yesterday morning after a lingering illness. Mr. Hunter was born in what is now the Fifth ward and received his early education at the Ralston school. For 16 years he was connected with the Western Pennsylvania Hospital for the Insane, when it occupied the present site of the West Penn hospital. He was an engineer. Later when the buildings were given over for the care of wounded soldiers during the civil war, Mr. Hunter remained as engineer. For the last 18 years he had been employed by Mohn Brothers as engineer in their laundry. Mr. Hunter was well known in Western Pennsylvania and for 25 years had been a member of the I. O. O. F. and the Knights of the Mystic Chain. For a few years he resided on a farm in Southern Virginia. Mr. Hunter is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jane Spratt Hunter, and two children Mrs. Charles Cramer of Eurichsville, O., and John E. Hunter, a member of the Twelfth ward school board. He is also survived by a brother, George Hunter of Ambridge, and a sister, Mrs. James McAfee. Mr. Hunter was a member of the Methodist Protestant church. He was an uncle of Miss Nannie Mackrell, principal of the Eleventh ward schools, and Archibald Mackrell, delinquent tax collector of Allegheny county.

Judge R. M. Henderson.

CARLISLE, PA., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—R. M. Henderson, lawyer, jurist and legislator and well known throughout the state, died here this afternoon, aged 79. He was one of the oldest graduates of Dickinson college, which he left in 1845. He had been a member of the Cumberland county bar since 1847, and represented the county in the legislature in 1851 and 1853. During the civil war he was captain in the Twenty-sixth Pennsylvania reserves. He was provost marshal of this county and during the confederate raid into Pennsylvania was made lieutenant colonel and brigadier general of volunteers for his gallantry. He was judge of the Dauphin county courts in 1872, and was re-elected in 1882, resigning soon after to return to his law practice.

Sister M. Adelaide.

Sister M. Adelaide of the order of the Sisters of Charity died at 6:30 yesterday morning at the Pittsburgh hospital, after an illness of 12 days. She was a teacher in the parochial school of St. John's Roman Catholic church, Fourteenth street, South Side. Sister Adelaide was 25 years old, and was the daughter of James and Margaret Lappan of this city. She was admitted to the order of the Sisters of Charity 13 years ago. In addition to her parents she is survived by one brother, Thomas B. Lappan, and two sisters, Mrs. Joseph P. Cowan and Mrs. George R. McAleenan. The body was taken to Greensburg yesterday afternoon, where the funeral will be held tomorrow morning.

Thomas Tyson.

Thomas Tyson, aged 76, is dead at his home, 812 Scott street McKeesport. Prior to going to McKeesport he lived at Allenport, Pa., where he was in the wholesale produce business. He was a member of the First Avenue Baptist church. Mr. Tyson's wife died five years ago. His surviving children are: Mrs. Mary A. Boyle, Roscoe, Pa.; Mrs. Sadie J. Royston, Allegheny; Mrs. Lydie N. Stranger, Homewood; W. H. of Pittsburgh, Joseph of McKeesport, and Thomas C. Tyson of Pittsburgh.

Thomas McCarthy.

Thomas McCarthy, one of the earliest residents of Braddock, is dead at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. E. Fagan, in John street. He was born in County Cork, Ireland, 76 years ago. In 1851 he came to this country and lived in Pittsburgh two years. In 1853 he located in Braddock. He worked for the Pennsylvania railroad and the Carnegie Steel Company until his retirement. He was a member of St. Thomas' Roman Catholic church. He leaves one daughter and a stepson, John Dacey, of St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Rachel Strawn.

WEST NEWTON, PA., Jan. 29.—Mrs. Rachel Strawn, aged 91, died this morning at the home of her son. She retained her mental faculties till recently. She was born in Fayette county, where she spent the greater part of her life. She was the widow of Jesse Strawn, who died in Albion, Ill., 23 years ago. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church for 70 years. Four sons survive: Dr. E. K. Strawn of West Newton, George of Akron, O., and William and Albert of Albion, Ill.

Mrs. Mary A. Sigel.

Mrs. Mary A. Sigel, aged 65, a life-long resident of Manchester, died at her home, 1837 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, after an illness of six months. She was a member of the First German Presbyterian church of Manchester. Mrs. Sigel is survived by her husband, Jacob Sigel of the Allegheny Safe Deposit Company, one daughter, Mrs. G. G. Otto, and two sons, Albert J. and Harvey C. Sigel. The funeral will be held at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, 1304 Washington avenue.

Mrs. Grace Hamilton.

Word was received in Pittsburgh yesterday of the death of Mrs. Grace Hamilton, wife of the Rev. Charles H. Hamilton of Smithfield, Utah. Mrs. Hamilton died in Troutville, Mo., and will be buried there. The Rev. Mr. Hamilton is a son of Mrs. Martha L. Hamilton of Butler street extension. He graduated from Allegheny Theological seminary a few years ago, going to Smithfield soon afterward.

Funeral of John H. Nicholson, Jr.

The remains of John H. Nicholson, Jr., whose death occurred in Havana, Cuba, on Tuesday, January 23, arrived here last night and were taken to the home of his son, Dr. H. S. Nicholson, 621 Arch street, Allegheny. Funeral services will be held there at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The interment, at a later hour, in Allegheny cemetery, will be private.

Obituary Notes.

Thomas J. Rowley, aged 58, a letter carrier at the Arsenal sub-station, died Saturday at his home, 4013 Foster street. The funeral will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Richard J. Dunican, aged 28, is dead at his home in East Pittsburgh. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dunican, and was born in Ireland. Besides his parents he leaves his widow and one child.

Mrs. J. B. Safford of Crafton received word yesterday of the death of her father, Robert B. Craig, aged 89, at Madison, Ill., where he had been a merchant for 60 years. He leaves a widow and five children.

Mrs. Mary Stinson Montgomery, aged 39, widow of Andrew Montgomery, died Sunday morning at her home, 310 Wayne street. She was born in Ireland and was the daughter of Thomas and Mary McKeever.

John Hetzel, aged 66, died Sunday at his home, Bair and Crotzer avenues, Crafton. He was a member of Schiller lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen and of the Loreley, West End and Duquesne maennerchor.

Conrad Lotz, aged 76, died Saturday night at his home, 918 Middle street, Allegheny. He was a member of Schiller lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen and Germania lodge, No. 549, Knights of Honor. He is survived by four sons and five daughters.

Samuel R. Davidson, aged 48, a distributing clerk in the Pittsburgh postoffice, died Sunday at his home, 203 Devilliler street. His widow, two daughters and three sons survive. The funeral will be held from the family residence at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Gottfried Roth, aged 80, died Sunday midnight at the residence of his niece, Miss Pauline Langbein, 407 South Main street, Sharpsburg. He was born in Germany, coming to this country when 24 years old, and residing since in Pittsburgh and vicinity. He served throughout the civil war as a member of the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, and was a member of Rippey post, No. 41, G. A. R. His wife died about three years ago, and he is survived by one son and a daughter.

DEATHS IN NEARBY TOWNS.

CUMBERLAND—William R. Johnson, aged 42, died of heart failure.

UNIONTOWN—Mrs. James Reilly, Sr., aged 66, is dead at her home near Dunbar. She leaves three daughters and six sons.

TITUSVILLE—James Hill, aged 75, a well-known confectioner, died of apoplexy. He is survived by his widow and five children.

SLIPPERY ROCK—Plummer Shoaff, aged 36, a butcher, dropped dead of heart disease in front of the New Central hotel. He leaves a widow and seven children.

CONNELLSVILLE—Mrs. Mary Shaak, aged 78, wife of W. E. Shaak, died suddenly of pneumonia at her home in New Haven. She is survived by her husband and three children.

WELLSVILLE, O.—Mrs. Jemima A. Haney, aged 66, wife of W. F. Haney, is dead at her home here. She was born in Clermont county. She is survived by her husband and three children.

ASHTABULA—A. Fralich, aged 55, a farmer of Sterling station, N. Y., died suddenly of heart failure on the Pittsburgh-Buffalo flyer near Andover. His body was brought to Ashtabula.

EAST LIVERPOOL—The remains of Miss Georgia Croxall, aged 29, of this city, who died suddenly of appendicitis at Greencastle, Ind., where she was a student of De Pauw university, have arrived at her home here. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Croxall, prominent residents.

WEST NEWTON—John Hall, aged 78, is dead at his home in Suterville. He retired from active work many years ago. Besides his widow, three children survive: Mrs. David Jones of Kaylor, Pa.; Thomas and John G. of Suterville, James of Scott Haven.

BEAVER—Mrs. Joseph Moody, aged 70, is dead. In 1866 she was married and lived in Hookstown until 1884, when she moved to Beaver. Mrs. Moody belonged to the Presbyterian church since girlhood, and had been treasurer of the Women's Foreign Missionary society for the last 17 years. Besides her husband, a daughter, Miss Mima, survive.

DIED.

BROCKSCHMIDT—On Sunday, January 28, 1906, at 1:20 p. m., WILLIAM F., husband of Louisa Brockschmidt (nee Peters), in his 32nd year.

Funeral from his late residence, 921 Chestnut street, Allegheny, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of Molders' union No. 279, are respectfully invited to attend.

DRISCOLL—On Monday, January 29, 1906, at 2 p. m., PATRICK, beloved husband of Sarah Driscoll (nee Burke), aged 64 years.

Funeral from the family home, 1801 East street, Allegheny, Thursday morning at 8:15 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Peter's church, at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FISHER—On Monday, January 29, 1906, at 7 p. m., at her parents' residence, No. 709 Braddock avenue, Braddock, Pa., ANASTASIA LUCILLE, youngest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Fisher, aged 6 months 12 days.

Funeral services at her parents' residence on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.

FIX—On Sunday, January 28, 1906, at 2:45 p. m., NANCY JANE, relict of Louis Fix, in her 70th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 222 Fifteenth street, Sharpsburg, Pa., Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Interment private later.

GROAH—On Sunday, January 28, 1906, at 9:30 p. m., at Allegheny General hospital, STACEY GROAH, son of Samuel K. and Nancy Groah.

Funeral from the residence of his aunt, Mrs. William Groah, West street, Bellevue, Pa. Notice of time hereafter.

HUNTER—On Monday, January 29, 1906, at 12:45 p. m., JOHN H. HUNTER, at his residence, 2805 Mulberry alley, in his 70th year.

Notice of funeral later.

MARX—On Sunday, January 28, 1906, at 1:20 p. m., MARY ELLEN MARX, widow of George F. Marx, aged 61 years.

Funeral services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Annie McGrath, corner of Twelfth and South Sharon avenue, Beechwood, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Take Charleroi or Mt. Lebanon car via Beechwood.

NICHOLSON—On Tuesday, January 23, 1906, at Havana, Cuba, JOHN H. NICHOLSON, Jr.

Funeral will be held this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from the residence of his son, Dr. H. S. Nicholson, 621 Arch street, Allegheny. Interment private at a later hour in Allegheny cemetery.

NUTTALL—On Sunday afternoon, January 28, at 3:30 o'clock, CHARLES S. NUTTALL, in his 40th year.

Funeral services at the family home, 607 Jackson street, Allegheny city, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private on Wednesday morning.

RICE—On Sunday morning, January 28, 1906, at 11:30 o'clock, BRIDGET, relict of Paul Rice.

Funeral from her late residence, 1710 Bedford ave., on Wednesday, January 31, at 8:30 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Brigid's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

ROTH—On Sunday, January 28, 1906, at midnight, GOTTFRIED ROTH, aged 79 years and 10 months.

Funeral from the residence of his niece, Miss Pearl Laughein, 407 South Main street, Sharpsburg, Wednesday, January 31, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family, also Rippey Post, No. 14, G. A. R., are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Allegheny cemetery.

ROWLEY—On Saturday, January 27, 1906, at 9:25 p. m., THOMAS J. ROWLEY, aged 58 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 4013 Foster street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SIGEL—On Monday, January 29, 1906, at 6:30 a. m., at her residence, 1812 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, Pa., Mrs. MARY ANN (nee Rodo), aged 65 years.

Funeral on Wednesday, January 31, at 2:30 p. m., from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. G. G. Otto, 1304 Washington avenue, Allegheny. Interment in Uniondale cemetery, division 3.

(Butler (Pa.) papers please copy.)

SWARTWOOD—On Monday, January 29, 1906, at 10 a. m., at Oakmont, Pa., FRANK S. SWARTWOOD.

Funeral services at his late residence, E street, on Wednesday, January 31, 1906, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private later.

TYSON—On Sunday, January 28, 1906, at 7:30, THOMAS TYSON, aged 76 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, corner Scott and Irwin avenues, McKeesport, Pa., this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Interment at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, at Union cemetery, Irwin, Pa.

UNKS—On Monday, January 29, 1906, at 5:40 a. m., MARGARET LAURA, infant daughter of Daniel and Anna B. Unks, aged 8 months.

Funeral services at the parents' residence, 18 Catherine street, Etna, Pa., on Wednesday, January 31, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(New Castle papers please copy.)

WARD—On Monday, January 29, 1906, at parents' residence, Stamp street, Sterrett township, LAURA LAMB WARD, daughter of James A. and Harriet Ward, aged 2 years 9 months 26 days.

Funeral from parents' residence on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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A lot—about 1,000 yards—genuine 85-cent fine "Orlwoola" Scotch Flannels—Pink and White stripes, 32 inches wide, 25c
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Two big tables of American Dress Goods, 45-cent ones, 25c—25-cent ones, 15c—12½c-ones, 6½c
linens
Heavy Linen Sales this month have made many broken lots which must not be taken into stock.
So have put them out on tables with prices to sell them.
$1.25 Hemstitched Linen Pillow Cases, 95c a pair.
$2.00 ones, $1.50 a pair.
$3.50 Embroidered Pillow and Bolster Cases—Pillow Cases, $2.50 a pair—Bolster Cases, $2.50 each.
Linen Doylies—odds and ends from a large stock—divided into five lots, 5, 10, 15, 25 and 50c
$2.50, 24-inch Round or Square Center Pieces, $2.00
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Several lots that must be closed out—taking considerable loss to do it.
$6.50 and $7.50 Japanese Silk Quilted Dressing Sacques—assortment of colors, $4.50
$1.25 and $1.50 Print and Flannelette Wrappers, 75c—$1.75 and $2.00 ones, $1.00—$3.00 ones, $1.50
Lot 50c Angora Tam O'Shanters, all colors, 25c—good clean stock that would not be sacrificed if it were not for stock-taking.
Children's 25c Toboggan, 10c
fitted suit cases and traveling bags
Decided not to carry one over so cut the prices in half to make them go before stock-taking is over.
They're a fine lot of $13.50 to $60.00 Sterling or Fire Gilt Trimmed Walrus, Cowhide, Seal Grain and Straight Goat Pieces—handsomely fitted with Sterling or Ebony mounted Toilet articles, $6.75 to $30.00
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Night Gowns, Bath Robes and Guimpes Half Price and less.
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OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY.

NOTICE—In the court of common pleas No. 1, No. 435, March term, 1906.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas Carlin Sons for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the cost, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the change of grade of River avenue, Eighth ward.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the court viewers in the foregoing matter, hereby give notice, that they will on the ninth day of February, A. D. 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., meet on the line of the said improvement, at the corner of Bridge street and River avenue, proceeding thence over the line of said improvement, viewing the same, and the premises affected thereby, and will hear all parties interested therein and their witnesses.

JOHN R. BAUM,
J. P. BINGAMAN,
SAMUEL J. GRAHAM,
Viewers.

SOLEMN TRIBUTE PAID BY NATION

Gen. Joseph Wheeler Is Given a Soldier's Burial at Arlington Cemetery.

IMPRESSIVE CHURCH SERVICES

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Home to the southland which he loved so well they brought the body of the late Gen. Joseph Wheeler and laid it to rest in Arlington this afternoon on a shaded slope overlooking the Potomac, near to the graves of men who, like himself, were veterans of two wars. Thousands uncovered their heads in silent tribute as the impressive caravan of mourners made its way slowly out Pennsylvania avenue this afternoon beneath the wealth of sunshine that gave to the day a taste of springtime in the dead of winter.

Not even his native state of Alabama could have contributed a balmier day on which to bury the nation's distinguished dead than was this, the birthday of the president who called him from civil life to the defense of the nation in the war with Spain. All along the line of march the red carnation marked the memory of the late William McKinley and on the casket, wrapped in the folds of the American flag, there bloomed a cluster of these pure flowers. They were placed on the altar in St. John's Episcopal church at the beginning of the burial service, and as the choir softly chanted the closing hymn, "Peace, Perfect Peace," a white-robed priest took the flowers from the altar and placed them reverently at the head of the casket amid the folds of the Red, White and Blue. Beside them bloomed the beautiful flowers sent by the President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

The Nation's Tribute.

It was an appropriate tribute which the nation paid. From 10 o'clock this morning until 2 this afternoon, while the body lay in state in the historic little church on Lafayette square, thousands of his friends passed up the aisle to the outer chancel and bowed in silence as they looked for the last time on the warrior's face. His comrades in the great war and in the war with Spain, his friends while in congress and the sons of the veterans of the two wars, the Daughters of the Confederacy, were all represented in this silent, steady stream of people that passed through St. John's today.

Shortly before noon Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, who was a warm friend of Gen. Wheeler, arrived at St. John's church, and taking his place in line passed reverently to the head of the casket and looked for the last time into the face of the great cavalry leader.

By 2 o'clock the nave of the church was filled with gray-haired men, the place of honor to the right of the President in the right transept being given to "Wheeler's Old Cavalry," who came on from the south by special invitation of the family. Back of them sat other confederate veterans. In the body of the church were many veterans of the war with Spain. Lieut. Gen. and Mrs. Chaffee were among the friends who sat near the family. The cabinet was represented by Secretary Taft and Postmaster General Cortelyou.

President at the Church.

Two minutes before the hour for the service to begin the entire congregation arose while the President, preceded by his military aid, Col. Bromwell, and his naval aid, Lieut. Commander Key, in full uniform and accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, entered the church from the transept door and were assigned to the far pew, which they shared with the family, who entered immediately afterward. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt were both in mourning.

The service was brief and impressive, and followed with a few exceptions the regular liturgy for the burial of the dead. There were four priests in the chancel, which was banked with flowers from friends and associations far and wide. The Rev. Dr. Ernest Stires, rector of St. Thomas' church, New York, read the selections, beginning, "I am the resurrection and the life." The lesson was read by the Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim, rector of the Church of the Epiphany, and the Rev. Dr. Roland Cotton Smith, rector of St. John's, both of this city, concluded the service, leading the congregation in the recital of the apostles' creed and reading the prayers for the dead. Two hymns were sung, both favorites of Gen. Wheeler. They were "Abide with Me, Fast Falls the Eventide," and "Peace, Perfect Peace." During the singing of the latter hymn the pallbearers took their position at the front of the casket, which was borne to the caisson awaiting it at the transept door by eight sergeants of engineers in uniform. Throughout the service a guard of honor, consisting of a captain of engineers and two sergeants, stood at attention beside the casket.

Capt. Fitzhugh Lee, an aid to the President, sat near the family, and Lieut. U. S. Grant III, also of the President's staff, was one of the officers who accompanied the body to Arlington. The line of march was down Fifteenth street to Pennsylvania avenue, on past the White House and the war department and across the Aqueduct bridge to Arlington. The pageant as it moved to the strains of the dead march from "Saul" made an impressive picture, witnessed by thousands, who stood with bared heads. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt returned immediately to the White House after the service, remaining in the church, however, until the family had left.

ESCAPES FROM OYSTER SLOOP

Pittsburgh Boy Tells Story of Being "Shanghaied" and Made to Serve in Crew.

That he was drugged and "shanghaied" and made to serve in the crew of an oyster sloop in Chesapeake bay, was the story told by William J. Stewart, a Pittsburgh boy, who arrived yesterday at King George C. H., Va. According to his story, he was met on the night of January 18, in Baltimore, by a man who offered him a drink. When he came to his senses he was on a sloop on the bay. He was compelled to act as cook for the crew until effecting his escape.

Stewart is a son of Thomas Stewart, a laborer, who lives at 2560 Fifth avenue. The young man left home about a month ago and until yesterday his friends had no knowledge of his whereabouts. He was formerly in the United States army.

MAY LOSE DR. WEIDLEY.

Popular East End Minister Receives Call to Washington (D. C.) Church and May Accept.

The Rev. Dr. John Weidley, pastor of Bethany Lutheran church, North Highland avenue, has received a call to the Church of Reformation at Washington, D. C. Dr. Weidley has handed in his resignation to take effect March 1, and has asked that a congregational meeting be held on February 14 to consider the matter.

The council of Bethany church has refused to accept the resignation, and has asked Dr. Weidley to reconsider it. As the salary at Washington is but $1,500 in comparison with the present salary received by Dr. Weidley of $2,700, it is evident that his desire to make a change is not because of financial reasons.

THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL AGAIN IN THE LEAD.

Annual Statement and Report Shows a Very Large Increase of Business for the Year 1905.

On one of the financial pages of this issue appears the annual report of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn. In the face of all the serious difficulties which have been brought to light in New York state, the reader will notice in the substance of this statement that the Connecticut Mutual Life obtained an increase of business to the extent of nearly three million dollars. Aside from this the company has returned to its members and their beneficiaries in death claims, endowments, annuities, surrendered policies and dividends the sum of $2,497,023.49, which constitutes just so much more than it has received from them as premiums. No other company of any magnitude has attained such a result during the year 1905.

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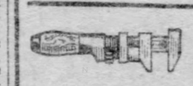

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OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Office of Controller of Allegheny County, Pittsburgh, Pa., January 15, 1906.

NOTICE TO INVESTORS.

WHEREAS, The county commissioners of the county of Allegheny have resolved to issue bonds of the county for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways, etc., said loan to be in the sum of seven hundred and fifty thousand ($750,000.00) dollars.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the county controller aforesaid, until twelve o'clock noon, Thursday, February 1, 1906, for the purchase of coupon bonds of said county, as aforesaid, to the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand ($750,000.00) dollars, to be issued in accordance with the act of Assembly approved July 10, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and one, entitled, "An act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties," etc. Said bonds to be of the denomination of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and payable thirty years from the date hereof. Address proposals to county commissioners of Allegheny county, marked "Proposals for Bonds."

A bond with approved security, or certified check to the order of the county commissioners of the county of Allegheny, to the amount of ten thousand ($10,000.00) dollars, must accompany each proposal to guarantee purchase of bonds, if awarded. Any further information respecting the same can be obtained at the office of the county commissioners, Allegheny county, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

F. P. BOOTH,
County Controller.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 25, 1906.

NOTICE TO INVESTORS.

Whereas, The county commissioners of the county of Allegheny have resolved to issue bonds of the county for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways, etc., said loan to be in the sum of seven hundred and fifty thousand ($750,000.00) dollars.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the county controller aforesaid until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, February 1, 1906, for the purchase of coupon bonds of said county, as aforesaid, to the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand ($750,000.00) dollars, to be issued in accordance with the act of assembly approved April 17, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled: "An act amending an act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties," etc. Said bonds to be of the denomination of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and payable thirty (30) years from the date hereof.

Address proposals to county commissioners of Allegheny county, marked "Proposals for Bonds."

A bond with approved security, or certified check to the order of the county commissioners of the county of Allegheny, to the amount of ten thousand ($10,000.00) dollars, must accompany each proposal to guarantee purchase of bonds if awarded. Any further information respecting the same can be obtained at the office of the county commissioners, Allegheny county, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

F. P. BOOTH,
County Controller.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 24, 1906.

NOTICE TO PRINTERS AND BINDERS

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, January 31, 1906, for printing, binding and furnishing the following:

323 Treasurer's receipt books.
704 Collectors' receipt books.
212 Collectors' tax books.
224 Lost tax books.
65,000 statement blanks (more or less).
24 Balance books.
7 Liquor license receipt books.
22 Mercantile license receipt books.

All as per sample furnished by the county treasurer as to design and quality of paper. Samples and specifications on file in the county treasurer's office, where all information relating thereto will be furnished on demand.

Each bid to be accompanied by bond with two sureties or trust company in double the amount of bid. Said bond to cover contract of successful bidder.

Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

F. P. BOOTH,
County Controller.

Sale of Odds and Ends

Today, Tuesday, 2d and last day of sale

YESTERDAY our great store was besieged by bargain-seekers—from roof to basement this establishment presented a most animated scene—today the interest will be undiminished. Judged from every standpoint this sale is a triumphant success. All the small lots; all broken sizes, all odds and ends—in every stock where selection is impaired by incomplete assortments, the surplus stocks are being forced out at ½ regular prices, ⅓ regular prices, ¼ regular prices—and even less.

Remember, today is the last day.

SOLOMON'S

K. Solomon & Company, Smithfield and Diamond Sts.

Women's waists

15c for white waists, values 35c. White lawns with one strip of embroidery in front, pleats over shoulders. Deep pleated cuffs. 35c values at Odds and Ends sale price of..... 15c

35c for white waists, worth 98c. White lawns, trimmed with embroideries and pleats. Pleated backs and deep cuffs. Perfect fitting. 98c values at Odds and Ends sale price..... 35c

50c for white madras waists, worth $1.50. Blouse front covered with pleats, pleated backs and deep cuffs. Trimmed with pearl buttons. Excellent models at Odds and Ends sale price..... 50c

75c for waists, worth $1.50 and $1.75. Sheer white lawns, trimmed with insertions in square yoke effects; also some embroidered fronts. $1.50 and $1.75 values at Sale price of..... 75c

98c for white pique waists, sold at $2.95. Fine ribbed white pique, strictly tailor-made, with pleated front and back. Deep cuffs. Perfect fitting. Odds and Ends sale price..... 98c

98c for waists sold at $1.50, $1.95 and $2.50. Mohairs, crepe cloths, nuns veiling, brilliantines and sateens in black, blue, brown and white. All to be closed out at Odds and Ends sale price of..... 98c

$1.95 for waists, sold up to $5. All-wool batistes, nuns veiling and crepe cloths, some trimmed with embroideries, others tailor-made. Odds and Ends sale price..... $1.95

$2.50 for waists, sold at $5.95, $6.95 and $7.95. Fine wool batistes and nuns veiling in black and white, trimmed with embroidered fronts, Val. lace and knife pleating. Celebrated makes. Odds and Ends sale price..... $2.50

$1.50 for waists, sold at $3.95. Moire in red, green, brown and black; also Jap. silks in white and taffeta silks in brown, blue, green and white. All to go at Odds and Ends sale price..... $1.50

$3.50 for waists, sold up to $8.50. White taffetas, and crepe cloths, trimmed with lace medallions. Also Oriental lace waists with short or long sleeves, silk lined. Odds and Ends sale price..... $3.50

Women's skirts

$3.95 for skirts, sold up to $7.50. Made of Panamas, meltons, serges and mixtures in black and colors. Women's and misses' sizes. All to be closed out at the Odds and Ends sale price of..... $3.95

$5.95 for voile skirts, sold at $12. Black and brown voiles, pleated and some tucked over hips. Various lengths. Entire lot to go at the Odds and Ends sale price of..... $5.95

$7.95 for skirts, sold at $12 and $15. Mohairs, Panamas, voiles, serges, coverts and light-weight broadcloths, in blues, greens, greys, tans, white, helio, brown and red. Choice at Odds and Ends sale price of..... $7.95

$10 for skirts, sold up to $25. Finest Sicilians, serges and voiles, in blues, browns and white. Pleated or circular styles. The entire rack to go at the Odds and Ends sale price of..... $10

Suit clearance

$6.75 for silk shirtwaist suits, value $12. Changeable or plain taffeta silks, in dark red, grey, green, blue, brown and black. Pleated waist and pleated or flared skirts. Odd garments go at..... $6.75

$10 for odd suits, sold up to $30. Long or short coat suits of grey mixtures and plain cloths. Strictly tailor-made and silk lined. Skirts pleated or circular. Entire lot to be closed out at sale price of..... $10

$15 for suits, sold at $30 and $40. Plain broadcloths in long coat styles, with shawl or notch collars. Tight-fitting coats, silk lined. Odds and Ends sale price..... $15

$25 for costumes, sold up to $100. Made of crepe de chines, chiffons and other soft silks, elaborately trimmed with laces. Short or long sleeves. Come in tans, light blues, greys, helio, greens and white. All to be closed out at Odds and Ends sale price of..... $25

$45 for costumes, sold up to $150. Finest chiffons, nets and spangled robes that have sold at $100, $125 and $150, to be closed out at the Odds and Ends sale price of..... $45

Coat sacrifices

$4.95 for odd coats, sold up to $12. Made of coverts, mixtures and kerseys, in three-quarter or short lengths, tight or loose backs. Bodies lined. All placed on one rack and to go at sale price of..... $4.95

$7.95 for coats, sold up to $18. Grey mixtures with double-breasted fronts and loose backs. Also coverts, lined throughout with satin. Strictly tailor-made garments at Odds and Ends sale price..... $7.95

$10 for coats, sold up to $22. Loose or tight-fitted mixture coats with velvet collars, 50 inches long. Also covert coats with lapped seams. All to go at Odds and Ends sale price..... $10

$12 for coats, sold up to $25. Storm coats of mixtures, with green leather collars and cuffs; others have black velvet collars. Tight-fitting covert coats also included at Odds and Ends Sale price of..... $12

$5 for raincoats, sold at $10 and $12. Cravenette cloths in tans only, pleated backs, full lengths and trimmed with buttons and belt. All to be closed out at Odds and Ends sale price of..... $5.00

Shoe clearance

For Tuesday we offer balance of all lines of women's $3 and $3.50 shoes, many styles, practically all sizes, at the special Odds and Ends sale price of..... $1.55

Women's regular $1.75 and $2 warm lined shoes, practically all sizes, various styles, offered for the last day of the Odds and Ends sale at..... $1.00

All remaining lines of men's $5 high cut storm shoes, made of black and tan English grain leather, double soles, bellows tongue. Sizes 5 to 6½ only..... $2.15

Women's $3 oxfords, with patent tips, offered at this Odds and Ends sale of..... 98c

Women's lace shoes, patent kid, hand-turned soles. Special Odds and Ends sale price..... $2.00

Negligee wear

50c for women's 98c dressing sacques. Made of flannelettes in pretty light and dark colorings. Odd garments that have sold at 98c to go at the Sale price of only..... 50c

33c for dressing sacques that sold at 50c and 75c. Made of flannelettes in dark colors, with fitted backs and bishop sleeves. All sizes in these garments that sold at 50c and 75c to go at only..... 33c

37c for women's vests and tights, black cotton. Vests with high neck and long sleeves. All sizes in these garments that sold at 50c and 75c to go at the Odds and Ends sale price of..... 37c

Undergarments

$3 for $7.50 and $9 corsets. All whalebone corsets, made of fine silk batiste and brocade, with or without supports. Our own importation. Odd pairs that sold at $7.50 and $9 to go at Sale price of..... $3.00

44c for 75c petticoats. White petticoats of cambric with umbrella flounce and embroidery trimming. 75c qualities at the Odds and Ends sale figure of..... 44c

Infants' wear

½ off on babies' bonnets. Bonnets and pokes, made of silk and velvet, in all colors. Choice at a discount from marked prices of..... 50%

$2 for babies' coats of bearskin in red, brown, navy and green, with box backs. Ages up to 6 years. $2.98 to $4.98 values at the Sale price of..... $2.00

Curtain specials

$1.75 for lace curtains, in Nottingham, cable net and Arabian effects, $4 and $5 values at, per pair..... $1.75

1,000 prs. Battenberg curtains that sold at $2.50. Sale price, per pair..... 85c

500 prs. ruffled Swiss curtains, in polka dotted, striped and figured effects. $2 grades at, pair..... 79c

5,000 prs. ruffled muslin curtains, reduced to, pr., 48c, 33c and..... 20c

Beddings—linens

Choice of any all-wool blanket or comfort in our stock at just..... ½ price

1,000 prs. cotton fleeced blankets in white or greys, $2.00 values at $1.21, and $2 grades at, pair..... 65c

1,000 white bed spreads for large size beds. $2 values at each..... 85c

100 doz. bleached pillow cases. 15c values at, each..... 9c

Huck towels that were 10c at 4 for 25c.

500 bath towels; 15c values at 3 for 25c.

All-linen table cloths, 2½ yds. long, 85c.

Untrimmed hats, etc.

Odd lots of ready-to-trim hats of finest silk velvets in all the very best shapes. Reduced from $4, $5 and $6 to the Odds and Ends sale price of..... $1.50

Odd lots of silk and chiffon hats, in light colors and white. Slightly soiled from being displayed—hence we offer values up to $5 at the sale price of..... 75c

Ribbons—veils

Odds and Ends of all-silk ribbons, taffeta, moire and double-faced satin—black or colors. 2 inches wide. 10c and 12½c values at sale price of, per yard..... 5c

Odd lots and broken bolts of No. 1 to 3 silk and satin ribbons, every color represented. No matter what the former price may have been, you can take your choice at the sale price of, per yard..... 1c

Trimmed millinery

$5 for hats that sold to $20. Choice from a large show-case full of the finest trimmed hats, suitable for any occasion. Hats that sold from 12.50 all the way up to $20 to go at..... $5.00

$2 for hats that sold up to $8. Odd lots of women's trimmed hats, made of finest velvets, chenille and silks, stylishly trimmed. Values from $5 up to $8, Odds and Ends sale price..... $2.00

$1.00 for children's trimmed hats that sold to $5. Odd lots of children's trimmed hats that sold up to $3.50 and even $5.00. Odds and Ends sale figure..... $1.00

Neckwear, hdkfs.

Women's string ties, with initial and embroidered figures. Have sold up to 50c, Odds and Ends sale price..... 5c

Children's handkerchiefs, colored borders, also plain white. Put up 3 in a box. Worth 15c and 20c, Odds and Ends sale price, per box..... 10c

Jewelry counters

10c for belt sets. Oxidized silver belt sets, including back piece and front buckle to match. Cheap at 25c, per set..... 10c

2c for 25c hat pins. Fancy jeweled hat pins, in different designs. Worth up to 25c; Odds and Ends sale price, each..... 2c

Laces and embdys.

250 pieces white Platt Val. laces and insertions, in different patterns and widths. Slightly soiled. 10c and 15c values at, yard..... 2c

300 pieces pure linen Torchon laces, Normandy, etc., in edges and insertions. Different widths and designs. 20c and 25c grades at, per yard..... 5c

100 pieces white cambric and nainsook embroideries in insertions and edges, widths from 3 to 9 inches. Cheap at 15c, sale price, yard..... 10c

250 pieces white nainsook and cambric embroideries, widths 2 to 5 inches. Worth 10c yard, sale price..... 5c

Odd lots hose

Children's ribbed cotton hose, fast black, sizes 6 to 9. Would be cheap at 15c, Odds and Ends sale price, pair..... 6c

Women's stockings, fine lisle and cotton, lace, plain lisle, fancy striped, polka dotted and silk embroidered ankle effects—black and all colors. Also plain cotton hose in black and white feet. Never sold for less than 25c and 35c, choice, pair..... 12½c

Umbrella clearance

$1 for $2 umbrellas. Men's and women's Gloria silk and pieced taffeta umbrellas with fancy pearl handles; also fancy horn and natural wood handles trimmed with silver. Worth up to $2, choice..... $1.00

Leather goods

The well-known style of hand or shopping bags known as the "Peggy" bags. These have sold regularly at $1.50 and $1.75, choice Tuesday at the Odds and Ends sale price of..... 25c

Leather hand bags, flat shapes with purse inside. Also a lot of burnt leather card cases, etc. Worth to 50c, each..... 15c

Shirts and gloves

9c for boys' 50c shirts. Unlaundered shirts, in all sizes, with linen bosom and fine cambric body. Regular 35c and 50c grades to go at the Odds and Ends sale price of..... 9c

39c for boys' shirts. Stiff bosom shirts, in all sizes and neat patterns. 50c and 75c qualities, Odds and Ends sale price..... 39c

25c for boys' waists. The celebrated "King" waists in all sizes. Perfect fitting white pleated waists that sold regularly at $1. Odds and Ends sale price..... 25c

Men's suspenders. Sell regularly at 25c, Odds and Ends sale price..... 10c

Men's silk initialed handkerchiefs, regular 25c quality, Odds and Ends sale price..... 9c

Boys' clothing

Odds and ends sale of boys' and children's overcoats of all-wool mixtures and cheviots, in various styles. Ages 3 to 14 years. $5 and $6 garments to be closed out at Sale price of..... $2.90

Odd suits for children and boys in ages 2½ to 15 years. Odd garments that have sold at $4.50 and $5 to go at..... $2.15

Children's overcoats, in military effects; dark patterns. Ages 2½ to 5 years. Reduced from $2.50 to..... $1.35

Odd pairs of boys' long pants, made of all-wool mixtures and cheviots, in ages 15 to 19 years. For this Odds and Ends sale we offer regular $2.50 values at the Sale figure of..... $1.39

ALL OUR FUR COATS, SCARFS AND MUFFS SACRIFICED

IT is our policy not to carry any Furs over to the following season, therefore prices have been reduced in order to effect a quick clearance. Unequaled inducements for Today, Tuesday, the last day of our semi-annual Odds and Ends sale.

$25 AND $30 FOR NEARSEAL AND AXSALA SEAL COATS, SOLD AT $50, $65 AND $70. Fine coats, 24 inches long, evenly matched and lined throughout with Skinner's satin. Chamois pockets, newest sleeves and cuffs, shapely rolling reveres and collar. Made by the best furriers in the country. Every one of these garments must go—hence we offer regular $50, $65 and $70 values at the Odds and Ends sale prices of $25 and..... $30

$1.50 for fur scarfs, sold at $3.95. Double scarfs, in black and browns, trimmed with natural tails and claws. Odds and Ends sale price..... $1.50

$3.95 for scarfs, sold up to $10. Blended squirrel ties, fox boas and Australian mink collarettes, trimmed with tails. Entire lot to be closed out at the Odds and Ends sale price of..... $3.95

$7.95 for scarfs, sold up to $15. Isabella or sable foxes, with large brushes, Australian minks, Jap. minks and squirrels. Entire lot to be closed out at the Sale price of..... $7.95

$1.50 for Australian sable muffs, sold at $2.95. Large pillow shape muffs, in brown fur, softly bedded and satin lined. Odds and Ends sale price..... $1.50

$7.50 for squirrel muffs, sold at $15. Natural grey squirrel muffs, softly bedded and lined with satin. Sold at $15. Odds and Ends sale price..... $7.50

$10 for odd coats, sold up to $25. Made of nearseals, 24 inches long and lined with satin. Some trimmed, others plain. Various sizes. Odds and Ends sale price..... $10

$25 for Persian lamb coats, sold at $50. Persian lamb coats, evenly matched, 24 inches long. Collarless blouse shape, lined with silk. Newest sleeves and cuffs. Odds and Ends sale price..... $25

$75 for Persian lamb coats, sold at $150. Odd Persian lamb coats, Leipsig dyed, 24 inches long. Blouse or coat styles, lined with plain or fancy silks. All to be closed out at Sale price of..... $75

THEY BRING BUSINESS TO YOU

IN PERIL OF HIS LIFE

BY EMILE GABORIAU

Author of "THE MYSTERY OF ORCIVAL," "FILE NO. 113," Etc.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

"Now, my friends," asked M. Galpin-Daveline, "which of you found this cartridge case?"

"We were all together when we saw it, and picked it up."

"Well, then, all three of you must give me your namese and addresses, so that I can send for you when you are wanted."

This had just been done, when the furious gallop of a horse was heard approaching the house; the next moment a man who had been sent to Sauveterre for medicines came in. He was furious. "That rascal of a druggist!" he exclaimed, "I thought he would never open his shop."

Dr. Seignebos eagerly seized hold of the things now brought him, and then, bowing with mock respect to the magistrate, he remarked—"I know very well, sir, how pressing is the necessity to have a culprit's head cut off; but I think it is almost as pressing to save the life of an injured man. I have probably delayed the binding up of the count's wounds longer than I ought to have done; and I beg you will now leave me alone, so as to enable me to do my duty to him."

CHAPTER VI.

There was nothing more to be done by the investigating magistrate, the public prosecutor, or the mayor. Accordingly they took their departure, promising to send the count immediate news of anything that might be discovered.

The fire was now dying for want of fuel. A few hours had sufficed to destroy all that the hard work and incessant care of many years had accomplished. The once charming and envied mansion presented nothing but a few blackened walls, with adjacent heaps of ashes, and smoldering timbers, from which columns of smoke were slowly rising. By Captain Parenteau's direction all the objects saved had been stored under the shelter of the ruins of the old castle, where furniture, articles of virtu, agricultural implements, carts, casks, and sacks of oats and rye were huddled together pell mell. Here also were the horses, cattle and sheep, rescued from their burning stalls with infinite labor, and at great risk of life. Few of the people had left as yet. With greater zeal than ever, the firemen, aided by the peasants, deluged the remains of the dwelling house with water. They had nothing to fear from the fire; but they desired to keep the bodies of their unfortunate companions from being entirely consumed.

"What a terrible scourge fire is!" exclaimed M. Seneschal.

Neither M. Galpin-Daveline nor the mayor made any answer, though they felt their hearts oppressed by the sad sight before them.

The firemen recognized the mayor and greeted him with cheers. He went rapidly toward them; and, for the first time since the alarm had been raised, the investigating magistrate and the public prosecutor were left alone together. They kept silent for a moment, each trying to read in the other's eyes the secret of his thoughts. At last M. Daubigeon asked, "Well?"

"This is a fearful calamity," replied M. Galpin-Daveline.

"What is your opinion?"

"Ah! do I know it myself? I have lost my head; the whole thing seems to me like a nightmare."

"You cannot really believe that M. de Boiscoran is guilty?"

"I believe nothing. My reason tells me he is innocent. I feel he must be innocent; and yet I see terrible evidence rising against him."

The public prosecutor seemed overwhelmed. "Alas!" he said, "why did you, contrary to everybody's opinion, insist upon examining Cocoleu, a poor idiotic wretch?"

"You do not mean to reproach me, sir, for having followed the impulses of my conscience?"

"I reproach you with nothing."

"A horrible crime has been committed; and my duty compelled me to do all that lies in the power of man to discover the culprit."

"Yes; and the man who is accused of the crime is your friend, and only yesterday you spoke of his friendship as your best chance of success in life."

"Sir?"

"Are you surprised to find me so well informed? Have you forgotten that nothing escapes the idle curiosity of a little town. I know that your fondest hope was to become a member of M. de Boiscoran's family and that you counted upon him to back you in your efforts to obtain the hand of one of his cousins."

"I do not deny it."

"Unfortunately you have been tempted by the prestige you might gain in a great and famous trial. You have laid aside all prudence; and your projects are forgotten. Whether M. de Boiscoran be innocent or guilty, his family will never forgive you for your interference. If he is guilty, they will blame you for having handed him over to justice; if he is innocent, they will blame you even more for having suspected him."

M. Galpin hung his head as if to conceal his trouble. At last he asked—"And what would you do in my place?"

"I would leave the case to others, although it is rather late."

"If I do so, I should compromise my career."

"Even that would be better for you than to engage in an affair in which you cannot preserve the calmness and impartiality which are the first and indispensable virtues of an upright magistrate."

M. Galpin-Daveline was growing impatient. "Do you think," he said, "that I am a man to be turned aside from my duty by considerations of friendship or personal interest?"

"I said nothing of the kind."

"Did you not see just now how I carried on the inquiry? Did you not see me start when Cocoleu first mentioned M. de Boiscoran's name? If he had denounced any one else, I should probably have let the matter rest there. But precisely because M. de Boiscoran is a friend of mine, and because I have great expectations from him, I have insisted and persisted, and I do so still."

The public prosecutor shrugged his shoulders. "That is it exactly," he said. "Because M. de Boiscoran is a friend of yours, you are afraid of being accused of weakness; and you are going to be hard, pitiless, unjust even, against him. Because you had great expectations from him, you will insist upon finding him guilty. And you call yourself impartial?"

M. Galpin-Daveline had resumed all his usual rigidity as he solemnly replied: "I am sure of myself."

"Have a care!"

"My mind is made up, sir."

At this moment M. Seneschal joined them again; he was accompanied by Captain Parenteau. "Well, gentlemen," he asked, "what have you resolved?"

"We ar going to Boiscoran," replied the magistrate.

"What! Immediately?"

"Yes; I wish to find M. de Boiscoran in bed. I am so anxious about it that I shall do without my clerk."

Captain Parenteau bowed and exclaimed: "Your clerk is here, sir; he was but just inquiring for you. Here, Mechinet, Mechinet!"

A fat, little, gray-haired man, of jovial mien, at once came running up, and informed the party that a neighbor having told him what had happened, he had started after his superior, the investigating magistrate, on foot, walking as fast as he could.

"How do you propose going to Boiscoran?" asked the mayor.

"I do not know yet. Mechinet will have to find some conveyance."

The clerk was starting off, when M. Seneschal held him back, exclaiming, "My horse and carriage are at your disposal. Any one of these peasants can drive you. Captain Parenteau and I will get back to Sauveterre in some farmer's wagon; we ought to be there as soon as possible. I have just heard alarming news. There may be some disorder. The peasant women who attend the market have circulated exciting reports, exaggerating the night's calamities. They have asserted that 10 or 12 men have been killed, and that the incendiary, M. de Boiscoran, has been arrested. The crowd has gone to condole with poor Guillebault's widow; and there has been a demonstration before the house of the demoiselles de Lavarande, where Mademoiselle de Chandore, M. de Boiscoran's betrothed, is stopping."

In ordinary times, M. Seneschal would not have intrusted his famous horse, Caraby, which he considered the best in the province, to the hands of a stranger, for anything in the world. But he was evidently terribly upset, as could be plainly seen despite the efforts he made to reassume official dignity and self-possession.

He made a sign, and the carriage was at once got ready. But when he asked for a driver, no one came forward. All these good people who had spent the night abroad were anxious to return home, where their cattle required their presence. Eventually, however, young Ribot offered his assistance, and seizing hold of the whip and the reins, took his seat on the box, while the investigating magistrate, the public prosecutor, and the clerk got into the vehicle.

"Above all, take care of Caraby," begged M. Seneschal, who, at the last moment, felt almost overcome with anxiety for his favorite.

"Don't be afraid, sir," replied the young man, as he started the horse. "If I strike too hard, M. Mechinet will stop me."

This Mechinet, the investigating magistrate's clerk, was almost a power in Sauveterre; and the greatest personages there paid their court to him. His official duties were not merely of a very humble nature, but also ill-paid. However, he knew how to eke out his income by other occupations, of which the court took no notice; these adding largely both to his means and to his importance in the community. Being a skillful lithographer, he printed all the visiting cards which the people of Sauveterre ordered at the principal printing office, that where the local journal, L'Independent, was published. An able accountant, moreover, he kept several tradespeople's books. Some of the country people, fond of litigation, also came to him for legal advice; and he was an adept at drawing up agreements. In addition, he had been director of the fireman's band, and manager of the choral society during several years; while, as correspondent of the Parisian Dramatic Authors' society, he obtained free admission to the theater, not only to the house, but also to the sacred precincts behind the scenes. Finally, he was always ready to give lessons in writing or grammar to children, besides teaching amateurs how to play on the flute and the horn. These varied talents had not unnaturally won him the hostility of all the other teachers and public servants of the community, such as the mayor's clerk, the tax collector's clerk and kindred individuals. But he gradually conquered all these enemies by the unmistakable superiority of his talents. In time they themselves fell in with the universal habit, and, when anything special happened, said to each other, "Let us go and consult Mechinet." He himself concealed, under an appearance of imperturbable good nature, the ambition by which he was devoured; he wanted to become rich, and to rise in the world. In fact, Mechinet was a diplomat, working in secret, but as cunning as Talleyrand. He had already succeeded in making himself the one really great personage of Sauveterre. The town was full of his fame; nothing was done without him; and he had not a declared enemy in the place.

In fact, people were afraid of him, and dreaded his terrible tongue. Not that he had ever injured anybody, he was too wise for that; but they knew the harm he might do, if he chose, for he was master of every important secret in Sauveterre, being the best informed man in the town as regarded all their little intrigues, private foibles and dark antecedents. This knowledge of his gave him quite an exceptional position. As he was unmarried, he lived with his sisters, the devout Demoiselles Mechinet, the best dressmakers in the town, through whom he heard all that was going on in society; comparing their gossip with what he heard in court, or at the newspaper office. Thus he would at times exclaim: "How could anything escape me, when I have the church and the press, the court and the theater, to keep me informed?"

Such a man would have considered himself disgraced if he had not known every detail of M. de Boiscoran's private affairs. He did not hesitate, therefore, while the carriage was rolling along, to explain to his companions the position of the accused nobleman.

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

CIVICS OF NINETEENTH COVER EVERY DISTRICT

Are Not Satisfied With Patenting Party for Entire Ward—Meterites Are Active.

Patents were filed for party names yesterday as follows:

Civic, Nineteenth ward, First district—J. C. Dawson, George J. Pellman, James McNeary, T. W. Walkinbaugh, Charles Harker, W. K. Griffith. Second, F. B. Craver, Louis Kahle, H. A. Gumbo, C. J. Sankey, C. D. Tilbury, Third, H. J. Lantz, J. M. Doughtery, D. C. Thompson, James H. Freeman, William M. Lewis. Fourth, William J. Lamperschafer, Albert Dubby, S. Leopold, Frank Downs, A. W. Linderman. Fifth, John Werner, Charles S. Johnston, W. B. Ague, William Burton, H. G. Smith. Sixth, M. C. Dulane, James Brennan, James Bonner, William A. Birchell, Benjamin L. Morris. Seventh, Jesse Vanpool, Thomas E. McGee, M. L. Brown, Montgomery Johnston, Robert Pitcher. Eighth, William Clark, Mat Clancey, G. W. Clark, George Penn, Michael Polstass, John Richards. Ninth, S. E. Straight, J. W. Harris, H. H. Breen, William Brown, W. H. Robinson, William J. Crummie. Tenth, John Mason, C. D. McCombs, John P. Klemans, William Soost, E. J. Sperber. Eleventh, E. M. Palmer, Charles A. Bauer, John R. Lyons, Walter Armitage, W. F. Albertson. Thirteenth, Robert Black, George Nielander, William A. Truefitt, George Reusswig, T. H. G. Lang. Fourteenth, John Magnuson, William Price, S. J. Peoples, J. F. Connelly, Minor Harris. Fifteenth, T. J. Riddell, T. J. Orr, Harry Cohen, W. L. McCullagh, A. Coehn.

No Water Meter, Thirteenth ward, Pittsburgh—Lawrence Gilson, James Mauka, John Fields, Edward Haines. William Woodward. No Water Meter, Eighteenth ward—Thomas Smith, Jr., Daniel Corbett, Joseph J. King, Edwin S. Rohrback, Patrick Cavaney. No Water Meter, Twenty-third ward—George and Richard Lowther, Mark Ryder, J. C. Puerbaugh, Thomas J. Walsh, who intend to indorse Charles C. Kohn for select council. No Water Meter, Thirty-seventh ward—W. L. Johnson, Charles A. Hannah, T. H. Scott, C. H. McCormick, H. W. Jeffries.

Good Government, Fifth district, Second ward, Allegheny—Harvey H. Bigley, John McGinley, S. A. W. Cheasman, William Moyle, Lotlis Payne.

Taxpayers, Homestead—J. William Barnes, W. J. Hirth, James F. Jamison, J. A. Doyle, J. M. Kestler.

Square Deal, Eighteenth ward—John Horstman, James Patterson, Thomas Gaughan, Richard Price, James Kirkham.

ARREST TWO SUSPECTS.

William Conlin and Detective Myers in Jail on Suspicion of Causing Tighe's Death.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Two arrests have been made in connection with the death of Peter Tighe, the puddler who died after he was assaulted at East Youngstown yesterday. William Conlin, his companion at the time of the assault, and "Butch" Myers, a detective employed by the American Bridge Company and with whom Tighe quarreled two weeks ago, were lodged in the county jail on suspicion. Conlin says he had left Tighe and was 30 feet away when he saw him struck by a man who approached him from behind. Myers claims he can prove an alibi.

The situation at East Youngstown, where the holdups occurred, has attracted the attention of the county officials. Meetings of the residents have been called and steps will be taken to secure protection. The county commissioners this afternoon ignored the sheriff in his request for more deputies to place there. The three victims of the assaults in the hospitals here are recovering.

MOXEY RETURNS.

Special Examiner at Enterprise Refuses to Divulge Plans.

Special Examiner E. F. Moxey returned from Philadelphia yesterday. He spent most of the morning with attorneys who are counsel for those interested in the Enterprise bank affair. Mr. Moxey will not intimate what his plans are, nor will he say when his report will be ready.

The Dollar Savings Fund and Trust Company of Allegheny, administrator of the late T. Lee Clark, began proceedings against A. J. and Hannah J. Lennox on a mortgage for $1,300 held by Clark on their property in McKees Rocks and in the Tenth ward, Allegheny.

CIVICS GETTING THE TICKETS UP

Nominations in All But a Few of the Wards Approved by the Central Committee.

NOT MANY REAL INDEPENDENTS

The ward tickets of the Civic party were yesterday generally approved by the central committee of the organization. The nomination papers in some of the wards were rejected by the committee because the candidates selected were not approved by it. In a few other wards there are contests which will be decided by the arbitration committee today. This is the last day for filing nomination papers.

The wards in which the arbitration committee will settle disputes are the Tenth, Eleventh, Twenty-first, Twenty-seventh, Thirty-first, Thirty-third, Thirty-fifth and Thirty-eighth.

To the candidates who were approved, letters were sent notifying them that they must sign a pledge agreeing to vote and, if elected, support George W. Guthrie in his policy, if he be elected mayor. Those candidates who refuse to sign this pledge will not be indorsed by the general committee. In most of the wards the candidates on the Civic party ticket are the nominees of the Democrats, Citizens and Union Labor party, and in a few instances, of the Republican party.

These are the candidates by wards:

First ward—No ticket.

Second—Select council, Joseph M. Dixon; common council, Thomas Scott; school directors, Frank McKenna, John G. Koepp.

Third—Common council, Frank W. Bohm; school directors, Charles Hemmenhouse, Mark Hedden; ward assessor, Henry L. Aland.

Fourth—Select council, Thomas J. Lee; common council, J. Brewer; school directors, Dr. E. H. Moore, P. A. Geraghty; ward assessor, William J. McCormick.

Fifth—No nominations.

Sixth—Common council, John J. McCaig; school directors, John J. Carey, J. Howard Gleason; ward assessor, John McDermott.

Seventh—No nominations, although today George P. Letsche may be indorsed for school director.

Eighth—No nominations.

Ninth—Select council, Edward A. Sweeney; common council, Bernard Kenna; school director, William Sullivan; ward assessor, Charles Long.

Tenth—Postponed.

Eleventh—Postponed.

Twelfth—Alderman, William J. Ryan; select council, Edward M. Kenna; common council, William A. Collin; school directors, Michael J. Hickey, James Eovard; ward assessor, Maurice Brodericks.

Thirteenth—Select council, Richard McNally; common council, R. B. Ward, John A. Andrews; school directors, Joseph Bergman, John H. Shaner; assessor, Christ Wolf.

Fourteenth—Select council, W. H. Stevenson; common council, Dr. Paul H. Franklin, M. McMorris, Simon Matheis, John F. Moore; school directors, S. D. Elford, W. P. Getty; ward assessor, H. H. Doyle.

Fifteenth—Select council, Lorenz Hoffman; common council, Patrick J. Sullivan; school directors, William J. Volbrecht, Charles G. Kengott; ward assessor, Irvin A. Velis.

Sixteenth—Alderman, William G. McCrory; select council, Henry E. Juergens; common council, John B. Nolan, Dr. William T. Moke; school director, Bart Fleming, James A. Sweeney; ward assessor, Stuart Robb.

Seventeenth—Common council, Adam Schuster, Charles E. Glesner; school directors, Valentine Barie and Thomas Harris; ward assessor, Wendell Miller.

Eighteenth—Select council, P. J. Donahoe; common council, George Nalsmith; school directors, James R. Fry, Thomas J. Nolan; ward assessor, Henry Grahl.

Nineteenth—Select council, Corwin D. Tilbury; common council, William H. Maclaney, John Werner, David Renton; school director, George B. Anderson; ward assessor, F. M. Johnston.

Twentieth—Common council, George H. Stengel, Charles W. Houston, Thomas Lane; school directors, B. H. Patterson, W. A. Sipe; ward assessor, F. H. Duncan.

Twenty-first—No nominations.

Twenty-second—Select council, William B. Wolfe; common council, Dr. John O. Bockstoce; school directors, William W. Blair, George Sheppard, David McK. Lloyd, Henry T. Morris; ward assessor, Sylvester A. Shaw.

Twenty-third—Select council, Herbert Watson; common council, J. J. Carney, John H. Forrest; school director, Frank Wills, Benjamin H. Frazier; ward assessor, D. D. Dacey.

Twenty-fourth—Select council, Joseph Schlerbitzauer; common council, Dr. M. E. O'Brien; alderman, John Caldwell; school director, Patrick Fitzgerald, James Kennedy, Charles D. Southworth, John Barbour, Hugh Kane.

Twenty-fifth—Common council, Dr. William H. Miller; school director, Robert D. McEachern, George W. Cook, David Lewis; ward assessor, Frank Henkel.

Twenty-sixth—Select council, George J. Kambach; common council, no nomination; school directors, F. A. Goedecke, Christ Wachter, Z. T. Miller, Walter Bennett; ward assessor, Michael Modrak.

Twenty-seventh—No nominations.

Twenty-eighth—Select council, Peter Meyer; common council, W. J. Tanney; school director, E. H. Winters, Dr. T. A. Starzynski, Dr. Theo. G. Grieg, John Campbell; ward assessor, Friedlin Bertsche.

Twenty-ninth—Common council, Henry Klinzing; school director, Charles Kauffeld, William C. McKenna, Henry Barrett; ward assessor, Albert Rose.

Thirtieth—Common council, James Mullaney; school director, Daniel Darney and James Fallon; ward assessor, Patrick Burns.

Thirty-first—No nominations.

Thirty-second—Common council, Charles N. Isler; school director, Andrew G. Smith, Thomas F. Ashford, Jr.; ward assessor, Andrew Engle, Sr.

Thirty-third—No nominations.

Thirty-fourth—Select council, John Hogue; common council, Joseph F. Lauth; school directors, William M. Hugh, Anthony Frances, James Murphy, John Mallony; ward assessor, John Madden.

Thirty-fifth—No nominations.

Thirty-sixth—Common council, Conrad Auth; school directors, Dr. Lawrence B. Knorr, Jeremiah Sheehan; ward assessor, Jacob Herrle.

Thirty-seventh—Common council, Joseph S. McGrath; school directors, F. M. Cain, Charles M. Neel; ward assessor, D. M. Cunningham.

Thirty-eighth—No nominations.

Thirty-ninth—Select council, Thomas J. Hawkins; school directors, Joseph A. Henderson, Clarence S. Rodgers.

Fortieth—Select council, F. L. Redding; alderman, John V. O'Donnell; school directors, L. M. Halloway, Joseph Layder, William Calfencross.

BELL DESIRES REWARD BUT GETS A REPRIMAND

Officer Who Arrested Silas Carter Up Before Police Trial Board Yesterday Morning.

After having a regular beat for about 10 consecutive days, Officer Matthew Bell, a negro, was before the police trial board yesterday morning. Bell two weeks ago cancelled all outstanding accounts against his career as a policeman by arresting Silas Carter, the alleged slayer of Officer James Sheehy, in May, 1902. There had been reports that a reward was patiently awaiting the man who would arrest Carter.

Bell later heard there would be no stipend paid him for arresting Carter. Superintendent Werner of the police bureau gave Bell a regular beat, and on Wylie avenue, at that. He was considered as having been well repaid. Last week it developed that Bell had paid several visits to Mrs. Mary McCann, 2219 Penn avenue, to collect something for arresting Carter. Mrs. McCann was a sister of Sheehy. Finally his demands for money became so insistent and aggravating that she told the authorities about Bell's actions. He was then "put on the books." The evidence was heard yesterday. The reprimand that followed is claimed by those who heard it to have been a classic. Bell was told to go and sin no more. Two other offenders were let off with a reprimand by the board.

EDWARD HOWARD GRIGGS DISCUSSES PURGATORIO

The fourth of a series of lectures on the Divine Comedy of Dante was given by Edward Howard Griggs before a large audience, at the First United Presbyterian church last evening. Mr. Griggs took for his subject "The Purgatorio." The introduction brought forth the change in the mood and spirit of the poem with the passing to the world of light. Mr. Griggs dwelt for some time on the relative value, poetically, of the Inferno and the Purgatorio. The next subject will be "The Two Types of Paradise."

Aged Indian Missionary Dies.

TULSA, I. T., Jan. 29.—Mrs. Jane Perryman, known as "Aunt Jane," died last night of consumption. She was 76 years old, was one of the early Presbyterian missionaries, and, as Jane Garrison, did excellent work in the Tallahassee manual labor boarding school for Creek Indians.

HONOR THE NAME AND MEMORY OF M'KINLEY

Speakers Pay Tribute to Martyred President on Anniversary of His Birth.

The fourth annual dinner of the McKinley Commemoration club, formded to keep alive the memory and ideals of the martyred president, was held last night at the Monongahela club, Peoples Savings bank building. Thirty-four members and guests were present, and the principal toast of the evening, on "William McKinley," was made by City Solicitor William B. Rodgers.

Pink carnations formed a prominent feature of the table decorations, and each of the guests wore a boutonniere of the flower. F. C. Renziehausen acted as toastmaster, and in addition to Mr. Rodgers' address, informal talks were made by E. H. Swindell, M. G. Leslie and T. L. Harper. All of the speakers paid tribute to McKinley's patriotism, to his brilliant public career, and his blameless private life.

Letters of regret were read from five of the charter members, R. W. Allison, John C. Dilworth, J. C. Rayburn, Jr., John T. Dalzell and Thomas D. Graham.

The carnation on the coat lapel of a Pittsburgher was hard to find yesterday. A walk on the principal streets of the city did not disclose enough Pittsburghers wearing the favorite flower of the dead president to call the attention of the average pedestrian that the day was one of national import.

Florists throughout the city had prepared for an unusual demand for the pink carnation, but in nearly every instance they were disappointed by small sales. The street venders did the best business, but even they complained of the small demand. High prices prevailed for the poorest class of carnations, the price being 10 cents each, and in many instances more. This is accounted for by the demand for the flower in smaller cities and towns, where it is said the day was more generally observed.

Yesterday was the fourth national observance of the day, it having been instituted in 1903 by the Carnation League of America, and it was asked that the flower be worn by the men in the coat lapel and by the women in the hair. The first year saw a unanimous observance throughout the United States which far surpassed that of subsequent years.

CUSTOM OFFICERS FIND HOARD HIDDEN IN TRUNK

Securities Valued at $100,000 Discovered in False Bottom of Baggage Carried by Immigrant. Man and Fortune Held.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The finding today beneath the false bottom of a trunk of about 700 securities and bonds, said to have a face value of over $100,000, by customs officers, who were examining the baggage of passengers on the steamer Finland, which arrived from Antwerp, led to the uncovering of a mystery which the immigration authorities have taken up for investigation.

The papers were bonds of the Hungarian government and securities of various Hungarian railways, all apparently genuine. They were in a trunk assigned to Isaac Helcher, an Austrian grain merchant and second cabin passenger. He said, however, that the trunk did not belong to him, but that it was the property of Moses Greenburg, who, he said, was a passenger on the Finland.

Failing to find Greenburg among the Finland's cabin passengers the customs officials turned Helcher over to the immigration authorities who held him pending a search among the steerage passengers for the trunk's owner. The latter, according to Helcher, gave him the trunk at Antwerp requesting him to take charge of it until they had landed in New York.

The apparent disappearance of Greenburg and Helcher's story of how the trunk came into his possession caused the authorities to think there is some hidden motive for bringing the valuable papers secretly into the United States. The immigration authorities announced that the Hungarian government authorities will be notified of the seizure.

NO CONTRACT WORK ON CANAL

The Government Will Demonstrate the Actual Unit Prices Before Making Awards.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—It can be stated authoritatively that no considerable part of the work of construction of the Panama canal will be let at contract within the next two or three years. After consideration of the proposition to have all of the work done by contract, the officials responsible for the canal construction have decided that the contract system is not feasible at present.

The contractors lacking knowledge of the local conditions, climatic difficulties, labor problems and other contingencies incident to tropical work, are obliged to fix their bids at a prohibitive price in order to protect themselves. It will be for the government, it is explained, to demonstrate the actual unit prices of work, which will probably require two or three years.

BEAVERS IS OVERRULED.

The Government Wins a Point in the Indictments in Postal Fraud Cases.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Justice Gould today overruled the demurrers of George W. Beavers to the indictments charging him with conspiring with former State Senator George E. Green of Binghamton, N. Y., and W. D. Doremus to defraud the government in connection with the furnishing of postoffice supplies and also to the indictments against Beavers individually, charging him with bribery.

Justice Gould also overruled the pleas in abatement of Green and Doremus.

Statehood Bill Reported.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The house statehood bill was reported favorably to the senate today by Mr. Beveridge, chairman of the committee on territories, by whom the bill had been under consideration in the committee for three days.

NEGRO CONFESSES TO KILLING WOMAN

Fiend, Caught in Baltimore, Tells How He Murdered Miss Allinson at Norristown.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BALTIMORE, Jan. 29.—After days of strenuous denials, false statements, successively disproved by the police, and earnest pleadings that he be not taken to New Jersey, Rufus Johnson, a negro, gave up the fight and at 7 o'clock this evening confessed that it was he who, on January 18, murdered Florence W. Allinson in the barn at her home at Moorestown, N. J. He declares he had no accomplice.

Johnson said he went to the Allinson barn very early that morning and while lying in the hay, between 6 and 7 o'clock, a woman, he does not know whom, came to the barn and fed the cow.

About 1 o'clock Miss Allinson came to the barn. He choked her into insensibility and was about to leave, when she showed signs of returning consciousness. He again attacked her and after she once more became insensible, he cut a strap from a blanket and fastened it about her neck.

He says he then went to the house, which the child, Bessie Walker, invited him to enter. There he secured Miss Allinson's watch, a brush, a hand mirror and a small amount of money. As he was leaving the house the child showed him her little savings bank which he took and broke open to secure the trifling amount it contained.

He afterward returned to the barn, intending to loosen the strap he had placed about his victim's neck, but found her dead. He then took a car to Camden and crossed the ferry to Philadelphia.

Chinese Students Entertain.

The annual New Year's exercises were given by the Chinese Sunday school of the Eighth Street Reformed Presbyterian church, in the basement of the church last evening. A program of vocal and instrumental music and scriptural readings was carried out, in which the Chinamen participated. The rooms were decorated in oriental style. The Chinese Sunday school has an enrollment of nearly 100 scholars.

Silks at 25c yd.

We want to mail to 1,000 out-of-town customers samples of some fine Satin Messaline Costume Silks imported to retail from 50c to 65c yard. There are 24 shades in the color assortment. Please say what colors interest you most. If we get your order in time the silk will cost you only, yard..... 25c

KAUFMANN'S

"THE BIG STORE"

Popular Pictures

Great is the demand for Carbon Photographs of the masterpiece "Cupids Awake and Asleep." They are framed in double diamond shape with fancy gold burnished tips and are marked down from $1.50 to..... 98c

Christy's Girls, etc.—Art store $2.50 framed Pictures, here only..... 1.48

Such Furs at Such Prices Will Sell at Sight

DOWN now to the lowest price notch—50 and 60 cents on the dollar. Not a single piece will be carried over—wise women who know fur values will see to that. Styles and qualities that are irresistible at the final figures.

Stylish, serviceable Fur Neckpieces, in shaped and throw styles, down from $3 and $4 to 1.45

A lot of Mink, Beaver and Fox Neckpieces that were marked $10 and $12, now for 5.00

Fine genuine Eastern Mink and Baum Marten Neckpieces that originally sold for $25, now 13.50

Fine Chinchilla Neckpieces in shaped and throw styles, having a real value of $33, for 15.00

Lot of Fine Eastern Mink and Sable Marten Neckpieces originally $35, now down to 18.00

Lot of Persian Lamb Coats, made of selected full skins, originally $55, now marked 25.00

Elegant Persian Paw and Squirrel Coats, which early in the season sold for $75, now 39.00

Elegant Alaska Seal and Broadtail Fur Coats, worth their full former $200 price, now 100.00

Rich elegant Alaska Seal Coats, 24 inches long, originally marked $250, take a drop to 165.00

Oriental Mink and Ermine Fur Sets of Neckpiece and Pillow Muff, some worth $25, per set 10.00

Lot of Blue Lynx Fur Sets of Neckpiece and Pillow Muff, worth up to $50, choice 25.00

Rich Russian Kolinsky Fur Sets of large neckpiece and Pillow Muff, down from $50 to 25.00

Lot of handsome Russian Sable Neckpieces of newest styles, formerly $150, reduced to 75.00

Lot of Hudson Bay Sable Neckpieces, rich and swell-looking—regularly $75, marked 41.00

Lot of fine Nearseal Fur Coats, fashionably made, were $60 and $75, now down to 39.00

New style Fur Neckpieces, several different furs, formerly $10, close-out price 3.98

Rich Persian Paw Fur Coats, can hardly be told from Broadtail down from $65 to 39.00

Beautiful Russian Sable and Isabella Fox Neckscarfs, some of which sold for $21, now 10.00

Our Entire Stock of Lap Robes and Horse

Blankets

25% Off

ONE-quarter off prices that are already 25% lower than saddlers' figures, means a 50% saving to clothe your horse at "The Big Store" now.

All our Stable Blankets in wool fancies, fancy plaid and plain lined ducks, Scotch mangled burlaps and woven fabrics, at ¼ Off Former Prices.

All our Wool Blankets in high grade drop weaves—Carriage Blankets in plain green and blue colors and heavy weight wool and wool-mixed Team Blankets at ¼ Off Former Prices.

(Fourth Floor.)

Special One-day Sale of Toweling and

Towels

OVER 10,000 dozen of towels in one assortment—

18x40 in. Fringed Damask Towels.
19x40 in. Fringed Turkish Towels.
18x40 in. Fringed Huck Towels.

All worth 15c each—Go at $1 dozen, or each.. 9c

1,000 dozen in this assortment.
—Hemmed Duck Towels.
—Hemmed Huckaback Towels.
—Hemmed Damask Towels.
—Fringed Birdseye Towels.
—Sizes up to 17x35 in.
5c each 50c doz.

600 dozen Linen Barber Towels at 69c dozen.

Knotted Fringed Damask Towels.
Hemstitched Huck Towels
And Hemmed Huck Towels.
Sizes up to 22x44 in.
19c each $2 doz.

All-linen Barnsley Crash, Fancy Check Crash and Fancy Stripe Crash, worth 12½c and 15c yd., at..... 10c

(Mail Orders Filled.)

How To Save On What You Need For

Your Bed

BUY some of these Hemmed Ready-for-use Bed Sheets of the famous "Mohawk" brand while the

54x90 in. size sells for 50c.
63x90 in. size sells for 55c.
81x90 in. size sells for 65c.

81x90 in. "Greater Pittsburgh" Sheets with a fine linen finish—50 dozen lot to go at.... 50c

200 dozen Pillow Cases—42x36 in.—hemmed and hemstitched—made of fine muslin—each 11c

Splendid Bolster Cases for 35c

1,000 Crochet Bed Spreads of large size, in neat Marseilles patterns, go at each..... 85c

400 Fringed Crochet Bed Spreads — Very choice Marseilles patterns—also 100 Pink Satin Spreads, worth $2— and 300 fine Silkaline Bed Comforts with fancy coverings — all bunched at..... 1.25

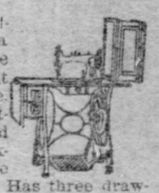
Crib Blankets, 50c each.

(Mail Orders Filled.)

Underpriced Machines Which It'll Be a Pleasure

To Sew On

These special prices for one day (Today only):

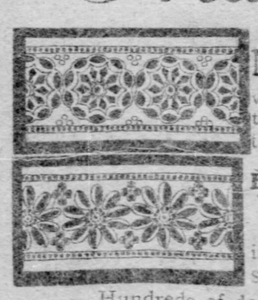


THE "Quality," an upright machine which has merit for its backbone. Built on the latest improved lines—the working parts made of finest steel. Has three drawers on side. Complete with full set of latest improved attachments. Our special one-day price..... 9.50

The "Demorest"—an easy-running improved drop-head machine that runs like clockwork. Has ball-bearing treadle—no complicated mechanism but so simple in construction that a child could operate it. A guarantee for 10 years and a full set of latest nickel-plated sewing devices goes with each machine today at the cut price of..... 14.98

(Fourth Floor.)

Trial Lengths of Embroideries



NEVER such an embroidery season as this—never were real bargains so scarce. Looms are going at their full capacity. Makers are refusing orders even at greatly advanced prices simply because they simply can't fill them. Under such circumstances as these such a sale as this is bound to bring hosts of women to our embroidery department today.

Four Big Lots 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c Four Little Prices

Embroidery makers always originate and work out many more patterns than they intend to use. A few short pieces (called trial lengths) of each pattern are reeled off to show the effect. 2,000 of such pieces go in this sale.

Hundreds of dainty patterns in new Shadow Embroideries—New French Embroideries—New Batiste Embroideries—New Galloons—New Maderia Embroideries—New English Eyelet Embroideries—New Japanese design Embroideries—New Corset Cover Embroideries, etc., etc.—some worked on Swiss, some on cambric, some on mull. You're bound to want some embroideries for your summer dresses, undergarments, etc. To select them from these trial lengths means to save much of their usual cost.

SPORTING FINANCIAL

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PITTSBURGH, TUESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 30, 1906.—PAGES 9 TO 16.

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UNITY BOWLERS MAKE HIGH SCORES---GENERAL SPORTING EVENTS

COLLEGE AND NON-PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY RICHARD R. GUY.

PITTSBURGH LOSES TO SOO SEVEN

Michigan Team Wins from Sixsmith's Outfit in Opening Game, 4 to 1.

THE CONTEST IS PLAIN

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SAULT STE. MARIE, MICH., Jan. 29.—Pittsburgh was defeated by Michigan Soo tonight in an International Hockey league game by a score of 4 to 1. The score in the first half was 1 to 1, with each team looking good.

Hod Stuart played cover point for Pittsburgh and was easily the star of the team, while Laviolette, Pirie and Hamilton for Soo were favorites.

One of Soo's scores in the second half was made by Baird of Pittsburgh, who tried to lift the puck. It struck Laviolette in the back, rebounding into the net.

Neither team showed exceptional speed, team work being lacking during most of play.

Hamilton was off twice for tripping and Stuart once, but there was no rough play on either side. Laviolette succeeded in sending Stuart to ice several times by going under the big fellow.

Attendance, 1,000. Referee, Elliott.

MEETING IS HELD OF THE DUQUESNE KENNEL CLUB

Number of Changes Are Proposed Which Will Be Acted Upon at Meeting Today.

The adjourned meeting of the Duquesne Kennel club, the first session of which was held last Monday, took place yesterday at noon at the office of the club in the Lewis block. The meeting was well attended. The club was practically reorganized under the same name.

The time was principally spent in proposing changes to the club's constitution and by-laws which will be acted upon at another meeting, to be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. A new board of governors was elected, and is as follows: W. F. Bender, S. S. Lesslie, Charles Tibbs Carter, W. S. Bell, G. W. Moore, Charles E. Dixon and Dr. J. Stewart Lacock. This board will today elect a president and secretary.

A treasurer is elected outside the board, and by the members themselves. Franklin P. Booth, county comptroller, was elected treasurer yesterday and takes the place of S. M. McElroy. The members also elected an auditing committee, which consists of S. B. Cummings and John Booth.

The place for holding the March show was not considered. E. M. Oldham, who has managed the shows of the club for a number of years, arrived yesterday, and he and Dr. J. Stewart Lacock, acting secretary of the club, spent the afternoon looking at places that could be used for the show, and their report will be acted upon this afternoon.

LEXINGTON TRACK TO BE SOLD

Captain Sam Brown's Famous Old Course in Kentucky Is for Sale.

There is a prospect that the famous old Kentucky association race track, now owned by the estate of the late Capt. S. S. Brown, will be sold in a few days, and if a spring meeting is held it will be conducted by the purchaser of the track. Capt. W. Harry Brown, executor of the estate, said last night: "You are about three days too soon in asking about the disposition of the track. There is something under consideration, but it will take several days to work it out. At this time I cannot tell you whether a meeting will be held at the track this spring or not."

The report which comes from Lexington is that a prominent New York turfman, who recently entered the ranks of Kentucky breeders, would be a bidder on the track but his agent was not at liberty to talk. The proposed deal does not include the sale of the Senorita farm, said Capt. W. Harry Brown last night.

The late Capt. Brown had for his chief object in buying the property to make a safe track of it for training youngsters. The buildings were in a much dilapidated condition when he bought it and the track itself was hardly considered safe. After its purchase by the Pittsburgh turfman it was piped and drained, the track improved and the buildings put in shape. A successful race meet was held there last spring. The track was also intended as a place to hold weeding out sales in the spring. This famous old track dates back to 1828 and it was there the old turf stars decades ago measured strides.

CAMPBELL AND CALHOUN.

Will Get in Shape for Season at Mt. Clements.

Pitcher Billy Campbell and captain-first-baseman Red Calhoun of the Harrisburg Tri-State League club will get in shape for the season at Mt. Clements. They will leave for that resort soon. It does not take much training for them to get in shape, as neither has ever drank. Campbell smokes occasionally while Calhoun never used the weed.

Scout, the star pitcher of the Louisville team, has written Campbell that he, too, will join the Harrisburg club. Scott was signed with Harrisburg last spring, but when Louisville granted him an advance in salary he refused to join the Senators.

PITTSBURGH GETS A M'GREGOR FAST ONE

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Twenty-nine thousand dollars' worth of light harness horses changed hands in Madison Square garden today at the opening of the Fasig-Tipton Company's midwinter auction sale. Fantasy, one of the sensational trotters of her day, was among the notable animals sold. In 1883 she started and set the world's record for 3-year-olds at 2:08¾, where it still remains. She is now used for breeding purposes. D. J. Cuykendall obtained her for $100.

Among the other sales was Billy McGregor, chestnut gelding, by Bourbon McGregor and Clara McGregor, to R. E. Ball, Pittsburgh, for $850.

ARMY AND NAVY TO MEET ON FRANKLIN FIELD

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—The Army and Navy football game this year will be played on Franklin field, the University of Pennsylvania's ground for athletic sports, on December 1. This announcement was made after a meeting here today, at which were present Capt. Palmer E. Pierce of West Point, Prof. N. M. Ferry of Annapolis, Edgar F. Smith, vice provost of the University of Pennsylvania; C. S. W. Packard, treasurer of the University of Pennsylvania Athletic association, and Dr. J. William White, chairman of the committee on the Army and Navy game.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

The Perrysville Reserves are out for the 16-year-old championship. Address John Fowler, 163 Chester avenue, Allegheny.

The next attraction at Zion hall will be the Beltzhoover team, which will be pitted against Zion council No. 1 Wednesday night.

The Bedfords challenge 19-year-old teams having halls. Write R. Gwyer, 1219 Muriel street, South Side.

The South Side team put in a hard practice last night in preparation for the two coming games with the Tamaqua team on Thursday and Saturday nights at Odd Fellows' hall.

The Industrial A. A. will play the Belger club this evening at the Woods Run Industrial house. All Industrial players are to report at the house not later than 7:30 o'clock.

The Section A Carnegie Technical school plays its initial game tonight with H. S. A. at Duquesne garden amphitheater. Any school team wishing games abroad address G. H. Kann, care Carnegie Technical school, city.

Newman plays Perrysville tonight at Newman hall.

In the Inter-Club league, Carnegie library, Braddock easily defeated the Duquesne Library team in a rough game, 33 to 15. Braddock is desirous of booking a game away from home for Thursday night. Call Glenn W. Rose, Bell phone 2100 Court.

The Sycamore Reserves want a game for Wednesday night. Call Raymond Artz, Bell phone 9079 Cedar, or P. and A. 324 North.

Trenton is without a game for the coming Saturday. Call 2057 Court, A. C. Meyers, 46 Trent street, city.

WALBER MAKES A SEASON'S RECORD

Rolls Highest Individual Score of the Season in the Allegheny County League.

SCHEDULE FOR TONIGHT

Pittsburgh section—Ungers vs. Bloomfield, on the St. Joseph alleys.

Allegheny section—Cecelia vs. Millvale, on the Cecelia alleys. Independents vs. Allegheny, on the Millvale alleys.

Monongahela section—Duquesne vs. Wilmerding, on the Duquesne alleys.

Mercantile league—On the Club alleys.

Liberty Valley league—Kenwood vs. No-name, on Penn avenue alleys.

The Unity team won all three games from the Great Easterns last night on the Great Eastern alleys by splendid scores. The winners made the 900 score for the first time this season. It was the sixth time in the Pittsburgh section that this feat was accomplished, the Ungers doing it four times and the Brunswicks once. The chief feature was the breaking of the individual high score record by Walker, who rolled 259 in the first game. This not only beats the record of the Pittsburgh section, 256, but is the best score made in the County league this season. The best previous score was 256, made by Austin Smith of the Unity team and Tommy Garbett of the Arcade team of the Monongahela section. On October 25, Schumacher of the champion Brunswick set the mark at 251. On November 6 Smith raised it to 256, and on January 5 Garbett equalled the record. The feat of Walker yesterday is remarkable, because in the Allegheny league, consisting of 20 clubs, only 22 scores were made of 240 or better. The Unitys were never in danger last night, and would have, no doubt, made three 900 scores if they had been pushed. Walker's average was 206 2-3. Austin Smith rolled a 224 score. The Great Eastern boys rolled a steady game, but could not stop the fast pace set by the Unitys. Scores:

Great Eastern—				Unitys—			
Manaing	146	184	163	Silber	159	173	181
Diebold	149	147	..	Smith	149	224	183
Geary	..	..	143	Kuppeler	177	168	158
F. Bosselman	163	171	157	Walker	259	181	177
Grimm	167	171	163	McGrath	189	174	174
Phelps	154	163	163				
Totals	779	836	809	Totals	936	920	873

At McKeesport the North Braddock team had little difficulty in taking all three games from the Arcades. The second game was the only close contest. Callahan rolled 215, the only 200 score in the match. Scores:

North Braddock—				Arcades—			
Higgins	191	191	188	Sowden	144	190	169
Whobe	136	..	..	Freeman	187	140	177
Callahan	..	..	147	Upperman	133	171	163
Richardson	174	157	155	Myers	163	155	142
Flick	..	142	125	Garbett	..	143	131
W. Seng	..	..	176				
A. Seng	140	179	162				
Totals	813	799	878	Totals	..	770	787

At the Casino alleys in Homestead last night East Pittsburgh took three straight from Homestead in the County league series. Votel had high score of 231 and high average of 190, Wolf was close behind, rolling 230 in the third game. Scores:

East Pittsburgh—				Homestead—			
Nugent	107	187	155	Collins	171	178	157
Wolf	171	159	230	Williams	183	182	135
Blair	154	144	153	Goen	125	161	180
Noff	182	158	163	Gaten	136	113	..
Votel	170	231	179	Eberson	199	142	161
				Corsey	..	..	163
Totals	784	879	880	Totals	778	776	786

On the Troy Hill alleys last night the Crescents took two out of three games from the Troy Hill team by good, steady bowling. The Troy Hill club failed to send in the score and is liable to a "call down." The Crescent scores, taken from the official sheets, are:

Crescents—			
Joe Nemecek	184	156	160
J. Lloda	160	130	121
Klepplek	166	159	209
Scheutz	160	146	162
John Nemecek	151	142	164
Totals	821	733	797

In the South Pittsburgh league last night, on the Southern alleys, the Werries won two out of three games from the Birminghams. No particularly high scores were made, but all games proved exciting. Scores:

Birminghams—				Werries—			
Dapper	136	139	157	Hasley	152	192	164
Mary	188	147	166	Huber	160	134	182
Fossold	154	169	183	Kurth	152	165	178
Schafer	181	145	177	McIntosh	152	124	163
C. Stock	161	126	175	Werries	114	121	..
				Miller	..	..	137
Totals	822	726	822	Totals	760	736	828

There was an important game at duckpins last night between the South Side Independents and McKeesports for $50 a side, and the Independents won all three games by handsome scores. Scott had high score and Pfeil the excellent average of 111. Scores:

McKeesport—				South Side—			
Estricker	83	84	89	Scott	118	82	86
Sheets	91	86	106	Pfeil	105	114	114
Byard	78	95	87	Erny	82	90	105
Wilson	83	88	80	Feigel	83	101	55
Dehaven	96	95	86	Vollmer	88	84	81
Totals	455	448	451	Totals	477	471	481

In a duckpin match on the Mt. Washington alleys the Wilbert Ducks won two out of three games from the Griffin Ducklets. There will be a return match played on the Brunswick alleys Wednesday night a week. Scores:

Wilbert Ducks—				Griffin—			
Deck	75	85	99	Kirk	82	102	93
Wilbert	90	96	91	Peffer	79	89	97
McAfee	73	75	76	Grammond	70	82	101
Felck	76	75	75	Griffin	73	82	84
Ulrich	101	101	83	Dupuy	85	79	85
Totals	415	432	424	Totals	388	426	460

Following is an interesting duckpin match played on the Federal alleys last night between the Nuttalls and Adams' Colts. The Nuttalls succeeded in winning the three games:

Nuttall—				Adams Colts—			
Niesen	90	99	95	Kramer	74	87	59
Chappell	79	85	88	Augustine	77	87	79
Rupert	76	89	82	Binkley	79	101	86
Thomas	70	83	73	Vogel	76	76	77
Stehle	50	81	95	Knoepp	79	80	77
Totals	392	455	432	Totals	376	431	399

The Millvale Pirates took two out of three games from the West Etna team in a match last night on the Houlahen alleys at Millvale.

Millvale Pirates—				West Etna—			
Schofield	138	129	150	Vidt	132	162	169
Fleckenstein	166	163	144	Thomas	145	189	148
J. Houlahen	131	..	..	Price	136	118	..
Emigrant	..	150	159	Melcher	..	..	114
Skelley	113	145	143	Park	107	167	159
Jas. Houl'n	202	199	155	Dederick	135	143	112
Totals	734	786	723	Totals	655	789	702

Following is an interesting exhibition game played last night on the Southern alleys, between the Southerns and McKeesport teams, McKeesport sprung a surprise on the Southerns and won all three games. Scores:

Southerns—				McKeesports—			
Williams	159	179	183	Baker	163	166	159
Young	166	129	151	Robinson	143	131	152
Reisbeck	148	114	131	Gilchrist	143	163	138
M. Robert	124	146	..	Hartsouk	156	158	149
Husch	..	..	146	Ruhr	172	138	169
Snyder	167	149	149				
Totals	748	717	750	Totals	787	816	787

Below is the result of an exhibition game played on the Club alleys last night between the Anchors and the Acorns, and the Anchors won two out of three games:

Anchors—				Acorns—			
Kaufman	135	157	138	W. Eversman	130	166	157
E. Succop	167	156	161	W. Succop	122	150	136
Gerberling	180	186	154	H. Succop	140	143	114
G. Succop	112	143	134	Kapff	147	197	143
H. Eversman	150	118	165	Scherman	157	165	154
Totals	742	712	752	Totals	696	821	704

In a duckpin match last night, the Dispatch team triumphed over the Wilkinsburg Ducklets for all three games. Good scores prevailed all around. Scores:

Dispatch—				Wilkinsburg—			
Penn	83	83	96	Eberly	86	77	79
Zimmerman	87	82	88	Beckwith	91	74	107
Schultz	94	101	97	Hemmins	84	104	96
Kline	85	100	97	McMillen	70	79	83
Adams	77	87	88	Hardie	85	..	..
Totals	426	453	429	Totals	419	426	..

In the St. Augustine league last night the Eagles won all three games from the Ewalts.

Eagles—				Ewalts—			
Kress	176	124	246	Klazon	137	170	142
L. Resselman	202	230	212	Boll	144	163	121
Jacobs	125	157	130	W. Kaich'aler	155	126	167
Kaiser	196	190	156	A. Hall	120	143	160
Fey	122	219	169	P. Hall	151	196	181
Totals	813	880	917	Totals	807	866	771

Following are the results of all the teams of the Lumberman's league in a regular meet on the Club alleys last night. No records were broken, but Hamilton was the high roller, with the good score of 216. Scores:

Nicola Bros.—				Hastings L. Co.—			
Hardie	153	117	157	Padden	132	192	155
Bettinger	156	158	156	Young	155	144	172
Leahan	155	141	131	Hamilton	159	216	175
R. Leaman	136	114	193	McNamara	105	96	124
Miller	119	114	112	M. Nelson	156	175	141
Totals	768	644	652	Totals	668	823	770
Empire L. Co.—				Commercial Co.—			
Garling	123	167	147	Mapes	121	136	165
Richter	156	169	145	Rabe	136	161	119
Haymaker	113	160	140	Fields	141	96	96
Hill	143	194	142	Stevenson	178	125	175
Jalinke	124	193	158	Searson	156	136	140
Totals	657	852	733	Totals	690	670	743
Slater L. Co.—				Forrest L. Co.—			
Baisley	150	141	121	C. Diebold	141	169	152
Henderson	122	118	142	G. Murphy	147	118	81
Ruskauff	170	157	94	A. Diebold	137	107	111
Eller	138	127	124	Adams	148	150	147
Satler	116	114	154	Ackelson	118	117	176
Totals	591	657	595	Totals	657	651	731
Wilson Co.—				Mead & Spear Co.—			
A. Wilson	118	134	134	Snodgrass	149	89	123
Stoner	92	138	182	Layton	135	119	131
F. Wilson	121	82	127	Lytle	132	132	120
Cordell	84	111	96	Zehnde	101	190	127
Flint	132	106	123	Frantian	88	104	93
Totals	538	671	667	Totals	615	625	594

The following games were played last night in the Plumbers and Jobbers' league:

Manchester—				Bailey-Farrell Co.—			
Ross	111	142	137	Bailey	149	157	172
Gray	121	159	116	Bryar	126	161	114
Fisher	127	134	132	Norton	151	146	121
Durbin	110	150	137	Lauer	122	152	149
Urquart	139	132	142	Harder	134	146	184
Totals	608	717	654	Totals	682	732	749
Imperials—				Pitts. Supply Co.—			
Godfrey	131	103	119	Price	156	145	183
Templeton	113	107	127	Pain	149	116	97
Toma	73	109	129	Sullivan	85	185	135
Zachman	113	95	111	Murdock	142	138	135
Dempsey	104	105	94	Daub	147	143	132
Totals	540	524	580	Totals	679	696	682
Fort Pitt—				East End—			
Sherman	114	103	133	Scheib	102	96	117
Jost	103	104	116	Hesser	117	140	141
Gilmore	118	131	119	Henderson	116	137	110
Evans	118	139	103	Sweeney	122	122	114
Kuhn	118	126	109	Shively	115	166	106
Totals	576	603	585	Totals	572	661	588
Big Five—				Harris—			
Sands	154	135	121	Rowe	134	151	144
Bailey	130	104	117	Mickley	75	93	109
Kuck'becker	132	145	101	Faust	81	93	103
Kaska	122	133	147	Riddle	64	96	70
Vincent	106	180	150	Plath	115	97	134
Totals	684	697	636	Totals	496	530	559

The Sharpsburg and Etna Elks rolled the first match game on the new Etna Brunswick alleys last night, the Sharpsburg Elks taking the first and last games. Cunningham got high score of 178 and high average of 169. Scores:

Sharpsburg—				Etna Elks—			
G. Bock	170	129	177	C. Jones	142	164	168
Cunningham	178	166	163	Austin	106	148	126
H. Bock	97	151	150	Spaeti	101	153	142
Tibby	107	116	103	Thomson	133	116	163
Ringle	127	105	147	Thomas	135	149	129
Totals	679	667	740	Totals	617	712	727

Following are the results of a regular scheduled match in the Liberty Valley league, on the Penn Avenue alleys, last night, between the Schenleys and Highlands. Highland succeeded in winning the last game by eight pins. Hewitt was the star bowler, with three 200 scores and the fine average of 206. Wolf was high, with 223, and he also followed it up with another 200 score. Scores:

Schenleys—				Highlands—			
Till	179	141	196	Newcomer	169	159	148
Hartley	161	162	178	Rudy	139	149	181
Greb	165	156	111	Wolf	223	205	163
Collier	169	167	118	Hunter	172	167	193
Hewitt	202	214	202	John	126	..	..
				Todd	..	141	..
				Watt	..	..	193
Totals	846	813	809	Totals	829	801	808

J. W. Williams of East Liverpool writes The Gazette as follows: "East Liverpool has organized a team to accept the challenge of the organized team of Pittsburgh to play for $100 more, as it suits Pittsburgh. As we have a match for $100 with Wheeling February 6 in Pittsburgh, we would say, bowl in Pittsburgh February 13 and in East Liverpool February 15. Our team will be as follows: L. Frantz, P. Hile, J. W. Williams, E. Ross, E. Clark, George Rumberger, P. Schmidt and F. Hockey. We would suggest a forfeit to be placed at once with George A. Metzger.

The Pittsburgh deaf mutes will play a match with the Sheraden team at Sheraden at 8 p. m. next Saturday. William Becker, the star baseball and football player of the deaf mutes, and captain and manager, has five good bowlers: Becker, Kornahan, Carr, Danner, Dunn, Shull and Baker will be in the line-up.

The Casino and Southern duckpin teams have agreed to postpone the match scheduled for Wednesday to Friday night. The match is scheduled for the Wilkinsburg Casino club.

F. H. Hammerle, the bowler and baseball manager of Wilmerding, will open his new alleys inside of the next 10 days. These will make three different bowling parlors in the Wednesday to Friday night. The match is the valley, and he will have a first-class team which wishes to challenge all teams for from $25 to $100 a side. The new alleys will be opened by a match game with some good Pittsburgh team, after which there will be single and two-man tournaments for valuable prizes.

Capt. Baird of the Shiloh team of the South Side league, would like to have the match with the Senators scheduled for Thursday postponed until Friday. If not satisfactory answer through The Gazette.

Freeman and Nunimaker of the Arcade alleys, McKeesport will roll three games tonight with Baker and Gross of the Brunswick alleys. The match is to be played on the Arcade alleys.

Capt. Vannes of the Standards requests the following players to report at 7 o'clock on the Wylie avenue alleys for game with the Cellas: Rupp, Gill, Crymble, Lasheid, Peiper, Bossler and Uhlman.

Capt. Doran of the Cellas, of the Amateur league, requests the following players to report tonight for regular scheduled game: Nelson, Greo, Weber, Muratta, Robertson and Dr. Butts.

On the Wylie avenue alleys yesterday, in an interesting match between Devore and Smith and Silber and McGrath, McGrath made 11 successive strikes and on the twelfth ball he deserved a perfect score, but was unfortunate and only knocked down eight pins. The result was he got a score of 298. That is a pretty fair score in this neck of the woods, or anywhere else in fact.

and Mrs. Sam Heimbuecher entertained a number of the Unity team at their home on Millwood avenue on Sunday.

A GREAT YOUNG RUNNER

MELVIN SHEPPARD.

REPORTS OF GAMES TO BE RECEIVED HERE

Manager A. S. McSwigan of Duquesne garden yesterday arranged with Superintendent E. Kimmey of the Postal Telegraph Company for a special wire report of the Pittsburgh-American Soo games at Sault Ste Marie, Mich., tomorrow night and Friday night of this week.

It was the intention to get this report of all the Soo games, but the arrangements were not completed in time to run postal wires into both rinks. An operator will send a running account of the game as it progresses and the report will be read to the local enthusiasts. The garden will be kept open until the close of the game, which will be about 11:30 Pittsburgh time. This is the first time the games abroad have been wired here and it is done on account of the great interest manifested in the team, as the chances of winning the pennant are very bright.

Local experts figure that if Pittsburgh takes one out three games the boys will be doing as well as can be expected. But Portage Lake won two out of three from the Soo last week, and it is generally conceded that the locals are faster than the Portage Lake team. One thing in Pittsburgh's favor is an efficient referee. The news that Chaucer Elliott will officiate was well received here, and if the boys here can be no "holler" about poor refereeing.

Elliott is right up with the puck, plays no favorites, and so far has shown he cannot be influenced by partisan feeling on the part of the crowd.

DIOCESAN BOWLING LEAGUE.

St. Charles Takes Two Out of Three Games from the St. Joe Boys.

St. Anthony won an easy victory over the St. Henry team of the Diocesan league on St. Anthony's alleys last night, winning three straight games by big margins and hanging up one 900 score. Ebner of St. Anthony was the star bowler, rolling high score of 232 and high average of 196 1-3. After the game Capt. Henry Hermann of the St. Henry's team announced his resignation from the captaincy, which he has held since the beginning of the season. He will be succeeded in office by Adolph Meyers. Hermann will continue to roll for the team.

In the other Diocesan league match between the St. Charles and St. Josephs, the St. Charles sprung a surprise and won two out of three games from the St. Josephs. M. Hungerman was the boss bowler, with two 200 scores, also high score and best average. A. Haller did good work, with the fine average of 191 2-3. Scores:

St. Anthony—				St. Henry—			
Thomas	192	148	188	Herman	160	165	153
H. Feldt	173	162	195	Meyers	123	130	..
F. Feldt	183	188	175	Schad	128	152	163
J. Ehrlich	159	141	158	Schiegg	..	..	..
Ebner	177	180	232	Ott	..	129	129
				Vitt	94	..	115
				Freund	..	128	123
Totals	884	819	946	Totals	698	734	683

St. Charles—				St. Josephs—			
P. Holler	151	149	166	Milfelt	170	183	181
C. Paff	139	..	..	Epping	146	189	145
J. Voll	..	157	..	M. Hungerman	159	222	202
M. Gillig	..	..	189	Meyers	154	158	168
W. Swint	168	159	176	Nickel	156	140	154
A. Holler	203	187	179				
J. Gillig	146	188	163				
Totals	805	837	878	Totals	785	893	850

In the Drug league, last night, on the Wylie Avenue alleys, the Pittsburghs won two out of three games from the Pharmacy. Scores:

Pittsburgh—				Pharmacy—			
Pauley	145	160	130	Hull	137	163	168
Brown	142	133	137	Craig	153	148	122
Hess	124	128	161	Gusenk'm	152	143	151
Urban	125	..	119	Campbell	116	88	89
Lorah	160	118	189	Schiller	144	142	128
Sweetzer	..	93	..				
Totals	706	640	739	Totals	702	684	688

An interesting game was played last night on the Wylie Avenue alleys between the O. & P. clerks and drivers, and the result was that the drivers were driven to the woods for two out of three games. Scores:

O. & P. Drivers—				O. & P. Clerks—			
B. Rath	126	122	173	Patton	111	123	139
Nolan	104	136	137	Neylan	139	168	119
Rupert	154	115	123	Steinel	178	168	181
Pappert	138	122	174	Bethon	158	129	180
H. Roth	149	188	122	Boyle	190	154	150
Totals	671	683	729	Totals	748	682	764

Sharpsburg Independents were defeated two games out of three by the Arsenals of Lawrenceville on Bock's alleys, Sharpsburg, last evening. Bock rolled high score, 221, and had high average of 178 1-3. Scores:

Arsenals—				Independents—			
Fidal	169	135	124	H. Bock	149	168	221
Kerner	168	148	141	McGivern	176	118	142
Klein	120	144	125	Born	145	159	115
Scholl	159	128	143	W. Noullet	191	126	181
F. Noullet	179	192	167	W. Wilson	164	152	176
Totals	795	747	700	Totals	725	724	836

Hans Wagner Loses at Bowling.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Hans Wagner and his team of bowlers came to Washington this evening and met defeat at the hands of the N. P. L. team of this place, the local team taking all three games. Wagner proved to be a big drawing card and over 500 spectators were present at the match. Scores:

Carnegie—				N. P. L.—			
Hunter	164	161	141	Baldwin	189	225	183
Formar	196	155	186	Smith	167	198	153
Wagner	141	176	131	W. Carson	161	169	189
Frye	176	148	191	J. Carson	172	180	139
Gunlig	140	208	135	Lewis	179	188	129
Totals	817	848	784	Totals	869	957	829

Theater Party at Grand.

The Carlisle club, numbering 100 well known politicians, headed by County Commissioner James Clark, attended the Grand opera house in a body last night and gave Hugh Blaney of the Spook minstrels a rousing reception. At the conclusion of the act a large floral stein, three feet high and built proportionately, was handed over the footlights in token of their friendship for the Pittsburgh singer. Since he joined the minstrels Mr. Blaney has sent the club of which he is a member a stein from every city he has visited, and last night's token took that form as a return of the compliment.

REMARKABLE RISE OF SHEPPARD IN RUNNING

Melvin Sheppard, formerly of the Brown Preparatory school of Philadelphia, who broke the world's indoor record for a mile on last Friday night, is undoubtedly one of the most remarkable distance runners ever developed in America.

Though his career as a runner extends over but two years, Sheppard has already broken several world's records, and all the scholastic long distance marks.

Two years ago Sheppard gained considerable notice by the easy manner in which he ran away from the best runners in the eastern schools. Last year Sheppard had a remarkable series of successes on the track, all the distance records falling before him.

He reduced the mile mark to 4:28 and the two-mile to 9:51.

Sheppard's intention was to enter the University of Pennsylvania, and he became a student there at the start of the year. The career of the young champion was brief, and Penn lost the greatest distance runner in America at present.

Several weeks ago he joined the Irish-American Athletic club of New York, and in his first race on an indoor track covered a mile in 4:27. On Friday night he again attacked the record of 4:26, which has withstood the attacks of America's foremost runners for eight years, and succeeded in reducing it to 4:25 1-5.

CHAMPIONSHIP POOL TONIGHT.

Allegheny County and Diocesan Leagues Will Be in Action.

The schedule of the Allegheny Pool league for tonight is as follows: Vorwerck at Glenwood, Crescent at Federal, Friendship at Arlington, Lyceum at Garfield, Union at Primrose, Olympia at Dennison.

In the Diocesan league the St. Aloysius team of Sharpsburg will play on the St. Joseph table and the St. Anthony team will play on the St. Aloysius table on the South Side.

The Arsenal team of Lawrenceville, Manager Seemiler, is ready to fill any vacancy in the County league.

The Eclipse pool team will play the St. Augustine Casinos this evening and the Grandviews Wednesday a week.

NON-CADETS WIN THE HOCKEY GAME, 3 TO 2

The Cadets and Non-cadets of Pittsburgh academy played a hockey game yesterday at Duquesne garden, the Non-Cadets winning, 3 to 2. The lineup:

Cadets—2.		Non-Cadets—3.
King	G	Lautensleger
Bischoff	F	S. Hiller
Carlson	C, P	Hughes
P. Hamilton	F	McKeon
Brennen (Capt.)	C	(Capt.) Elliott
Thompson	R. W.	J. Hamilton
Ostoff	L. W.	Snyder

Goals—Elliott 2, Snyder, Ostoff, Thompson. Goal judges—Taylor and Montgomery. Timers—Alexander. Referee—Armstrong.

Sauers Beat the Wilbers.

On the Mt. Oliver tables, last night, the Sauers defeated the Wilbers in a pool game by a score of 100 to 60. Miller made 57 balls. The score:

Sauers		Wilbers—	
Porte	35	Hays	21
Miller	57	Flinn	33
Hahne	15	Christopher	18
Total	107	Total	72

Scratches—Sauers 7, Wilbers 12. Referee—Gregg. Scorer—Ott.

The Sauers challenge all teams in the county for games on Mt. Oliver.

President Pulliam in Pittsburgh.

President Pulliam of the National league was in the city yesterday and boarded the train at East Liberty for New York. He was in consultation with President Dreyfuss of the local club and evidently did not want his presence

AT THE PLAY LAST NIGHT

Belasco—DeWolf Hopper in "Happyland."

I would hardly be rash enough to say that real comic opera of the kind where the merit lies in book, music and players rather than in the undraped legs of the genuflecting chorus, has come back to the stage on which it once flowered so beautifully, but "Happyland," which is at the Belasco this week, is so near the real thing as to make one rejoice with a large, deep joy. There isn't a genuflecting, betighted chorus girl in the whole outfit. There isn't any pony ballet, there isn't any coon song, there isn't any songs about Manhattan isle and old Broadway.

Praise be to Allah.

These are negative virtues, it is true, but one has to be explicit in this day when so much useless trash, slap-stick and leg conglomeration is perpetrated under the name of comic opera and musical comedy. "Happyland" starts out well. It has a mythical story of a mythical people in the mythical land of Elysia, where everybody is happy but the king, who is bored to death because of the universal happiness. Frederick Rankin has caught the true spirit of comic opera book-writing. The humor of his situations and some of his lines strengthen the Gilbertian suggestion in the general plot. I shall not recite the plot in full; it has to do chiefly with a proposed marriage between the children of two adjoining kingdoms, which each in turn desire to form an alliance that will protect them against the superior strength of a third. The king of Elysia has promised his son in marriage to the daughter of the king of Altruia. The king of Altruia has no daughter and the king of Elysia's only child is a girl whom he has kept in seclusion all her life. To meet these difficulties these comic opera kings furnish a really humorous story, which ends by the son of the third kingdom carrying off the pretty innocent daughter.

This is the barest outline. It nowhere provides for the fun that Mr. Rankin has made room for, and it certainly doesn't give you the slightest idea of the fun big DeWolf Hopper and his associates get out of the skit. Second in this hopeful break-away from slap-stick and sloppy music is Reginald DeKoven's music. Mr. De Koven, you remember, wrote "Robin Hood," and never seemed to have recovered from it. He hasn't recovered yet, but in our gratitude for the pleasing, lilting music of "Happyland," I feel like cutting out the word "reminiscent." It is this, for the "black crow" of "Robin Hood" is the "black sheep" of "Happyland," and there are other suggestions, but there is so much music that is dainty and has a solid sense of intelligent and coherent composition. Mr. DeKoven has a great trick of orchestration. His flute obligatas that trickle through the lightest little airs, the strings, with a fine harp to give them strength (well-played last night, too), the climbing toward his finales in smooth yet accumulating power and harmony, all characterize this latest effort. The score is far lighter than other things he has written. There are combinations and duplicates strewn all through the score that pull one's music tastes down to the earth of present-day promiscuous demand, but with all that, this music is such a big tuneful improvement on what we have had that there is no mind on the part of anyone to "knock."

Thirdly, and lastly, this "Happyland" is so capitally played and sung. DeWolf Hopper is a comedian of his own class. He has trained down in weight and up in air recently. His king of Elysia is a piece of buffoonery, but it is the kind that one laughs over and is not ashamed of it. He made a speech last night that was funnier than anything he did in the role of the king. Marguerite Clark is the diminutive ingenue of the cast, and she is the daintiest little actress our local stage has had in years. Petite, graceful, a miniature in feminine naivete and loveliness, she makes a dainty foil for Hopper's hugeness that is as stimulating as good wine. But the cast is good all the way through. We have more memories of "Robin Hood" in John Dunsmuir's fine bass. He held a low note last night over which the audience wore itself out encoring. William Danforth is a good comedian of the facial kind. A little ditty, silly thing, sung with Mr. Hopper about vegetables, was one of the most amusing things of the evening. Estelle Wentworth has a strikingly fine voice and works with a will to give the crescendos effectiveness. William Wolf is funnier than I ever remember to have seen him, and besides there are Joseph Phillips, Frank Casey, Ada Deaves and Carl Haydn to give extra measure to a good cast.

The settings of this mythical piece are Greek, and beautiful, one in the king's palace and the other in the fields of Elysia. The costumes follow the Greek design and are handsome, especially those of the soldiers.

CHARLES M. BREGG.

Alvin—"The Sultan of Sulu."

George Ade's "Sultan of Sulu" is like the real sultan—it can't be downed. The real monarch is said to have anticipated Congressman Longworth by saying sweet things to Miss Alice Roosevelt. Of course nobody blames the sultan, even if the story is true, and it only goes to show that the American humorist was not altogether at fault in his grotesque prophecies of what would happen in America's Mohammedan province. This is one of Ade's first operas, and it still ranks with his best stage works, being a close second to his perennially popular "County Chairman." It has been in Pittsburgh several times, but its presentation at the Alvin last night is the best the piece has had in many a day. Miss Frances Demarest, in the role of the bewitching Henrietta, is more than responsible for its success. Miss Demarest was last seen here in Savage's "Parsifal" company, and she is head and shoulders above the average popular-priced musical combination, and last night, unhappily for the fair young prima donna, her talents were far above the appreciation of her audience. She has beauty, grace, a sweet voice, and her ability as an actress is manifested in no less degree. She was repeatedly recalled, but at that, deserved a better reception. The world theatrical will hear better tidings of Miss Demarest's success some day, because her charm is the irresistible charm of real merit. Albert Mahar, the Sultan, is a new comedian in Pittsburgh. The best thing he does is an inimitable impersonation of what occurs and how a cocktail drinker feels in "the cold gray dawn of the morning after." One does not need to imbibe 27 drinks "that follow the flag" in order to know how it feels. Just see Mahar. The other members of the company are not up to the average of those mentioned, but everybody works with spirit and puts that "ginger" into the performance which is so compatible with Ade's brand of humor and biting satire. A quartet of "Boston school-ma'ams" deserve notice for their vivacity and good voices. These young women are Mabel Denie, Beatrice Gamble, Thelma Gilmore and Florence Rother. They are good, everyone. The Alvin standard would be materially raised by more attractions like this offering of "The Sultan of Sulu." Walter Floyd, manager of the Duquesne theater last season, is manager of the company, and during his stay in Pittsburgh has been congratulated by many old friends over the success of his venture.

Empire—"York State Folks."

It may be the old fashioned country sitting room embellished with its quaint striped wallpaper and splint-bottom chairs, or the crossroads wagon shop with its village celebrities amid the shavings and anvil, or the suggestive quiet of a Sabbath evening in the country, broken only by the notes of the doxology sounding through the trees from the village church, that tell you that the pastoral play, "York State Folks," was conceived and executed by a master hand. Or it may be that wonderful embodiment of ill nature and cross-grained ambitions, Simon Peter Martin, or Myron Cooper, the shrewdly simple organ builder, who impress you most with the fact that some way back country neighborhood lent its choicest freaks of human nature to Arthur Sidman in the play that for five years has taken a deservedly front rank in the list of pastoral productions. Certainly no one can see the performance at the Empire this week without being gratified with the rare degree of reality it presents in its scenes and characters. An up-state village of New York has been staged with all its curiosities of person, speech, manner and dress, portrayed with a loyalty to detail that makes the production a wonder of its kind. For the story it is simple enough—the tale of a handsome, youthful lover tempted into the gambler's way, an obliging and pious "prop" of the community lending the town's money to help him out, an irascible, aged man of means bent on making the community bow to his will, and the usual complement of pretty country girls each with her love trials. But to see the perfect naturalness of James Lackaye, the Simon Peter of the cast, or Ray L. Royce, the lovable old organ maker, is a treat. When there is added to these genuine country fun-makers a half dozen more celebrities hardly less deserving and stage settings that take one back in memory to the farthest corner of his native township, "York State Folks" offers an exceptionally fine bill of clean, wholesome and truthful comedy.

Gayety—Jack O'Brien With "The Knickerbockers."

Roble's Knickerbocker Burlesque Company is at the Gayety for a return engagement with the added attraction of Pugilist Jack O'Brien, claimant of the world's championship. The Gayety, which is too big for the ordinary burlesque attraction to fill was packed to the doors by the crowd curious to get a look at the new champion. First, Jack surprised the audience with a long and polished talk on the benefits of physical training, delivered in the finished tone of an actor, with total disregard for his r's, etc. A well cut dress suit, one of his immaculate 57, also lent tone to the occasion. A lengthy series of moving pictures showing O'Brien in training, were then shown, after which he sparred three short rounds, showing some of the great speed which put him at the top of the pugilistic ladder. The performance proper is one of the best and is generally familiar by reason of previous visits. Oscar Lewis again brightens up the whole performance with his good Swede comedy work. And Christy, the juggler, stands out in the olio as one of the funniest as well as clever of jugglers. Brightness all shines out in the chorus department, and the girls led by sprightly Alleene Vincent are kept busy in musical evolutions and costume changes. The burlesques are funny from the word go and the vaudeville program was encored liberally by the big audience present.

Academy—"The Tiger Lillies."

The ever-popular "Tiger Lilies" are the Academy attraction for the week which began yesterday afternoon with the usual packed house. The audience seemed highly pleased and the Academy crowd is supposed to know the real thing at sight, while frequent reference to some of the "Lilies" as peaches does not indicate ignorance of horticulture, either. Two burlesques called "A Temporary Husband" and "King of Coffee Fiends" allow the "Lilies" to blossom out in all the glory of tinsel rainbow lights, while the comedians work the fun to the uproarious stage at regular intervals. A satisfactory olio bill includes Cunningham and Lord, premier dancers; Ezier and Webb in "The Actress in the Maid," and Richy Craig, the musical comedian, assisted by a talking graphophone. The "thriller" act of the program is by Tombillon, a cyclist, called "The Circle of Death." To hold up their end of the physical attractions in town Lavern and Cross "worlds greatest physical culture exponents," present a good athletic act called "Roman Sports and Pastimes."

Bijou—"For His Brother's Crime."

Another melodrama of many sensational climaxes was presented at the Bijou yesterday. The story was written by Charles E. Blaney and presents a picture of everyday life as people see it. The story deals with two brothers—the one of a bright, sunny disposition, the other a drunken idler who kills the father of his sweetheart. In the excitement the innocent one is arrested and allows himself to suffer, that his brother may escape to foreign lands. In the course of events the murderous brother makes a deathbed confession, vindicating the other, and all ends in a happy finale, of course. Robert Gaillard, a modern strong man, is introduced as the hero, supported by a strong cast. There is just enough comedy in the performance and horseplay is eliminated.

Bernhardt's Engagement.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, whose farewell American tour has resolved itself into a continuous and amazing series of triumphal dramatic representations, will include this city in the itinerary of her tour and will appear at the Belasco theater on February 8 for an engagement of three nights and one matinee. She will be seen here in four of her most popular roles in the immense repertoire. Thursday evening she will be seen in "La Sorciere;" Friday evening, February 9, in "La Tosca;" Saturday matinee, February 10, "Camille," and the engagement will close with a performance of "Sapho" Saturday night.

It will be the last time the famous actress will be seen in this city, for in spite of her extraordinary vigor and vitality, and her still noteworthy juvenility of appearance, the "Divine Sarah," though undoubtedly as great an actress as she has ever been, is approaching the period when she can no longer race around the globe as she has just done to fill her engagement in this country.

Yiddish Players at the Belasco.

The management of the Belasco theater announces a special extraordinary engagement for three nights—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 5, 6 and 7—of the Thalia Theatere company, from New York city, headed by the Yiddish players, Mr. David Kessler, Mme. Kenny Lipzin, Mr. Morris Moskowitz and Mr. Samuel Thornberg, supported by a cast of Yiddish players. For the Pittsburgh engagement the following notable selection of plays has been decided upon: Monday night, February 5, "The Orphan;" Tuesday night, February 6, "God, Man and Devil," and the engagement will close with "Die Wilde," Wednesday night, February 6.

STAGE SNAPSHOTS.

BELASCO—DeWolf Hopper has a comic opera beautiful to the eye, musically dainty and humorously sensible.

NIXON—Lew Fields has a musical comedy of excellence, wit and broad dialect fun.

EMPIRE—A capital rural play, capitally acted.

GRAND—Another big, novel and entertaining vaudeville bill.

ALVIN—The best "Sultan of Sulu" we have had since Moulan.

GAYETY—Jack O'Brien, hero of a burlesque bill.

ACADEMY—"Tiger Lilies" are blooming.

BIJOU—A melodrama well played.

Nixon—"It Happened in Nordland."

A musical comedy that is really musical and really funny is a welcome change of diet, and these adjectives may be applied to "It Happened in Nordland," which happened at the Nixon theater last night. Lew Fields—the old, inimitable Lew Fields—is surrounded by three or four other mirth-provoking comedians, and by a bevy of shapely and graceful dancers, who wear rich and varied costumes. All of this is set to typical tunes by Victor Herbert, of the sort the billboards describe as "catchy," and the Musical Courier would call "reminiscential." There is plenty of horseplay, some picturesque lighting effects, a plot which needs a microscope to find it, and a few voices of real musical quality.

The book and the lyrics are by Glen MacDonough. So much of a story as may be discerned by means of the aforementioned microscope, concerns a runaway queen of Nordland and an American ambassadress who looks just like her missing majesty. The ambassadress finds her long-lost brother, and then assumes the role of the queen to save him from the fate of a deserter from the army. No one need imagine from this that there is anything consecutive or rational about it. It is all conglomerated idiocy, but it is undeniably funny, and that is where it has the advantage over conglomerated idiocy that has been undeniably melancholy.

Lew Fields is the same as ever. Nothing more need be said. He is a past master of the ludicrous slapstick Dutch comedy. His work in the board of strategy skit last night was especially good.

Next to him came Harry Fisher, whose huge get-up and infinitesimal voice convulsed the audience every time he opened his mouth. Julius Steger as Dr. Otto Blotz also made a hit, and William Burress as Dr. Popoff, with his Ibsen-like make-up and excruciating physiognomy added materially to the merriment. Harry Davenport, Denman Maley, Frank Stammers and Frederick Lyons, did very well.

Phyllis Rankin found favor as Katherine Peepfogle. Roma Snyder showed herself the possessor of a very melodious voice, and Gertrude Whitty of an eccentric make-up. The chorus was in good voice and well drilled, and one Indian dance was especially clever.

Of the musical numbers Dr. Blotz's pain killer song and Katherine Peepfogle's duet with Prince George, "A Little Class of One," were the most attractive. As a whole, this musical farce is one of the cleverest and most pleasing of its kind—not a very dignified kind, but clean and amusing. For those who wish only to laugh and enjoy, it is just right.

Grand—Vaudeville of Quality.

Despite the interest aroused over the announcement that Valerie Bergere would present a new Carmen in vaudeville, the real novelty and most enjoyable feature of the Grand bill this week, is a little comedy on the woes of motoring, presented by an English company, headed by Harry Tate as the chief comedian. An act of the same kind was seen here in a musical spectacle earlier in the season and was evidently copied from this Tate comedy, but one will have to see the original in order to appreciate the full humor of one of the most laughable situations the automobile has so far furnished the stage. Mr. Tate is himself a most excellent comedian and his supporting company really do each in his way a clever piece of acting. The scene is a broken automobile and the laugh-compelling difficulties that attend its repair, ending finally in a rough and tumble fight, with a policeman in the mixup. There is a small boy, one of the species that loafs around country roads, who adds a striking piece of humor to a stage situation that really has "a laugh every second."

Miss Bergere's Carmen is distinctly disappointing. Not that there isn't good acting in it, but it is a Carmen of the Paris boulevards, with hardly a suggestion anywhere of the Spanish girl. Miss Bergere is a good actress, and she strikes some melodramatic moments in this condensed Carmen, but as she presents the central figure it might as well be Japanese or French or Broadway as Spanish. The play is not badly condensed, though it has been given a distinctly melodramatic tendency.

The famous Mudtown minstrels are as funny as ever, the Crane brothers having a seemingly unending success in their "Rube" act. The Spook minstrels are also novel, being the most ingenious use of the motion pictures so far seen. Interest in the singing of this very excellent quintet was increased by the fact that Mr. Blaney, one of the singers, is well known locally. It is a really excellent singing act. The Piciana troupe of acrobats present a startling turn in which the most difficult acrobatic feats are accomplished by people in evening clothes. Mabelle Adams plays the violin with artistic finish and gave an enjoyable repertoire, ranging from Schumann to a medley of war songs. Katherine Bloodgood's fine contralto adds value to the musical features of the bill. Harry Edson has that wonderful dog with him; a dog act that makes you sit up and notice.

Valveno brothers, fine equilibrists. Byers and Herman, who do a wonderful bit of slack wire and contortion business; Walter Daniels in imitations, and the Martinni sisters in songs complete a bill which it would be hard to beat in variety, novelty and artistic vaudeville worth.

SOCIETY

Contributions to this department must bear the name and address of the writer to insure attention.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN H. CROSKEY of Atlantic avenue, East End, have announced the engagement of their niece, Miss Hattie B. Hoovler, to Norman Freed Brown, chief engineer of construction with the Pennsylvania railroad. No time has been set for the wedding, but it will probably be an event of the Easter season. Miss Hoovler is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Owen C. Hoovler of San Francisco, and has made her home in Pittsburgh since her early childhood. Her fiance is a son of the late T. Benton Brown and of Mrs. Mary A. Brown of Baum street, East End, formerly of Philadelphia. Both Mr. Brown and Miss Hoovler were members of the bridal party attending Miss Martha Brown, a sister of the prospective bridegroom, and Robert Perry McCurdy, last November. Miss Hoovler also attended her cousin, Miss Croskey, on the occasion of the latter's marriage to William Bell last summer.

Dinner at the Golf Club.

Mr. and Mrs. George Singer Ebbert will chaperone the guests at a dinner which George Norris Morgan will give at the Pittsburgh Golf club this evening. Covers will be laid for 28 guests, including Mr. and Mrs. Ebbert, Miss Pauline Dilworth, Miss Evelyn Black, Miss Euphemia Bakewell, Miss Margarita Frew, Miss Sallie Hill, Miss Gertrude Childs, Miss Anne Burgwin, Miss Beatrice Hawkins, Miss Harriet W. Balken, Miss Marjorie Rea, Miss Hester Harton Singer, Miss Ethel Byram, Miss Milne of Philadelphia, who is visiting Mrs. John G. Holmes; Clinton L. Childs, Charles Davis, Thurston Wright, Jerome Hill, Charles A. Foster, W. H. Hay, Jr., Jarvis Gear, Joseph Holmes, Thomas A. McGinley, Highart Laughlin and George Lyon, Jr.

A Trio of Honor Guests.

Miss Eleanor Kuhn of North Highland avenue will entertain with an informal 4 o'clock tea next Friday afternoon to meet her house guests, Miss Katherine Daniels of New York and Miss Mayhew of Brooklyn, and Mrs. William Terrill Johnston, a recent bride. Mrs. William R. Kuhn, Mrs. William M. Dick, Mrs. William S. Kuhn and Mrs. F. O. Nixon will pour tea, and Miss Ada Corey, Miss Margaret Gray and Miss Olive Munroe will assist. Miss Kuhn's sister, Mrs. Phillip Pyle, will also act as a hostess at the tea. Among other entertainments which have been planned for Miss Mayhew and Miss Daniels is a luncheon which Miss Corey will give at the Nixon restaurant this afternoon.

Art Club Meets.

The Teachers' Art club met yesterday afternoon in the Fifth Avenue High school, with Miss Alice Henry presiding. Mrs. M. E. Van Wagonen presented a paper on "Construction," in which she treated of mechanical drawing and construction. Mrs. Van Wagonen visited the Technical school to ascertain the standard of work done there, and suggested yesterday that the ideas advanced in the Technical school be followed in other schools. Miss Henry read Miss Kate C. McKnight's New Year's letter, which she sent to the various women's clubs of the city. In response to a request made by Miss MacKnight in this letter the club yesterday took action on the question of preserving Niagara Falls.

Young Women to Build.

An event of this evening will be the third annual euchre and reception held by the young people of Epiphany parish in the Pittsburgh Lyceum, Washington street, for the purpose of securing funds for the erection of a lyceum for the young women. A number of the young women have been using the gymnasium in the young men's lyceum on Wednesday evenings between 8 and 10 o'clock for almost a year. Father Lawrence A. O'Connell, rector of the Epiphany church, is at the head of the movement for the young women's lyceum.

Dance at the Concordia Club.

Phillip Hamburger of Fayette street gave a dinner dance at the Concordia club last evening in honor of his two daughters, Miss Bessie Hamburger and Miss Harriet Hamburger, the latter of whom is a debutante of this season. Ninety guests were present and at the dinner the favors were mirrors, silver match boxes and fans. Pink roses were used in the centerpieces on numerous small supper tables, and the place cards were dainty hand-painted affairs done in water colors. The dancing, which followed the dinner, was general during the entire evening.

Cards on the North Side.

Mrs. Charles Forsyth Patterson of Western avenue, Allegheny, will entertain at cards on Friday afternoon without any special guest of honor. About 12 tables will be in use and bridge will be the game played. Mrs. Patterson will be assisted by her sister, Mrs. A. Marshall Bell, and her sister-in-law, Miss Margaret Patterson.

Another Allegheny hostess will be Mrs. David A. Stewart of Lincoln avenue, who has invitations out for a bridge party on the afternoon of Wednesday, February 7, to meet Mrs. Joseph MacKnight Speer.

Mrs. Irwin's Bridge.

Mrs. Lewis Irwin of Western avenue, Allegheny, was hostess at 16 tables of bridge yesterday afternoon. She had no special guest of honor, and received her guests alone. The prizes, which were dainty Dutch baskets filled with fragrant spring flowers, were won by Miss Mary McKee, Miss Mary Guthrie, Mrs. James Brown, Mrs. William Orr, Mrs. William Thaw, Jr., Miss Dohrmann, Mrs. Henry Byram, Mrs. Joseph Albree, Mrs. William H. Black, Miss Marjorie Irwin, Mrs. Frank McClintock and Mrs. Albert C. McCallam.

Preparing for Benefit.

A large meeting of the entertainment committee of the Winodausis club was held yesterday morning in Syria temple, and plans were discussed for the euchre to be held for the benefit of the Newsboys' home in the Elks' hall, Fifth avenue, on Friday of this week. The prize committee reports 40 prizes secured for the event. Among these are seats at the Belasco, Alvin and Grand theaters and two seats at the Nixon. The prize list also includes handsome pieces of cut glass, silver, china and bric-a-brac.

To Give a Reception.

Mrs. Richard Floyd of Ellsworth avenue, Shadyside, has chosen Thursday afternoon, February 15, as the date for a large reception which she will give at her home. The hours are to be from 3 until 6 o'clock, and Mrs. Floyd will be assisted by a number of her friends. There will be no guest of honor, and the reception will be followed by a dinner for the aids.

Caughey-Shafer Wedding.

Announcement is made of the coming marriage of Miss Mary E. Caughey, daughter of Mrs. Sarah J. Caughey of Haysville, to Lewis M. Shafer at the home of Miss Caughey's mother at noon Tuesday, February 6. Mr. Shafer is a resident of Avalon. The wedding is to be a quiet affair, and the honeymoon tour will be a journey to the west.

Carnation Day Is Remembered.

As yesterday was Carnation day, and the carnation is the club flower, the members of Dolly Madison chapter, Daughters of 1812, wore red carnations at their meeting yesterday. Mrs. John Anderson of Fifth avenue, was hostess for the day and entertained the members at tea, following the meeting, at which only routine business was transacted.

Notes of Society and Clubs.

At the meeting of the Women's club of the Sewickley Valley tomorrow afternoon Miss Susanne Beatty will speak on "The Legal Status of Women in Pennsylvania." Sidney Hamilton, pianist, will assist in the program.

The first rehearsal for the cantata, "Belshazzar," to be given for the benefit of the Sewickley Methodist Episcopal church next spring, will be held in the church this evening. John A. Rosensteel will have charge. There will be 15 soloists and a chorus of 100 of the valley's best singers.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry McCurdy of Baum street have returned from New York, where they attended the automobile show.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Beacom of Hot Springs, Ark., have returned to their home after a six months' visit at the home of Mr. Beacom's parents, in the East End. Mr. Beacom's mother accompanied them for a brief visit.

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GENERALLY NECESSARY TO DISLODGE AN ENEMY

Energetic, persevering action is generally necessary to overcome the obstacles and attain great and noble ends in life. So, too, if one is afflicted with a dread disease which has fastened itself upon some of the organs of the body and become firmly seated as a lingering or chronic malady, active and *persistent* treatment is generally necessary to dislodge the enemy.

Since any medical treatment, however good it may be, must be long continued in order to be effective in old established and therefore obstinate cases, how important that the remedical agencies employed be of a harmless character. To be safe and harmless, when their use is thus protracted, they should be of such nature as to be easily eliminated or carried out of the system when they have performed their work, just as the refuse of food is carried out of the system. Most mineral medicines are not thus easily gotten rid of. Take arsenic, for instance, if introduced into the system in any considerable quantity it will lodge in the brain, liver, kidneys and other parts and there remain as a foreign body to set up irritation and disease for a long period of time if death does not sooner intervene. This is also true of most mineral medicines.

With medicines of vegetable composition it is different. They do their work by aiding the natural functions of the several organs of the body for which they have an affinity, and like the refuse of our food, are carried out of the system through the natural emunctories—the lungs, skin, kidneys and bowels. Thus no injury is done to the system in cases where the use of such medicines is continued for a long period of time. Especially is this true if the medicine taken is free from alcohol. It is well known, however, that even small portions of alcohol taken for a considerable period of time will do serious injury to the bodily organs and functions and especially to the brain. How important then, in choosing a medicine for treating a malady of long standing, and when medicines must, in order to cure, be preseveringly taken for a considerable period of time, that those only should be used which are *known* to be free from alcohol and of vegetable composition.

With most medicines put up for family use and sold through druggists, their composition is kept a profound secret, known only to those who compound and put them out for sale. Any afflicted person who buys and uses then, does so, as it were, in the dark, if not indeed at his or her peril. They may and generally do, contain a very large percentage of alcohol or cheap whisky which thoroughly unfits them for protracted use. But this is not the worst fault of many of them, objectionable though it is. Narcotics and mineral poisons, which we have shown to be so harmful, especially when used protractedly, are contained in many of these secret compounds.

To overcome the well-grounded and reasonable objections of the more intelligent to the use of secret, medicinal compounds, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., some time ago, decided to make a bold departure from the usual course pursued by the makers of put-up medicines for domestic use, and so has published broadcast and openly to the whole world, a full and complete list of all the ingredients entering into the composition of his widely celebrated medicines. Thus he has taken his numerous patrons and patients into his full confidence. Thus too he has removed his medicines from among secret nostrums of doubtful merits, and made them *Remedies of Known Composition*. By this bold step he has shown that his formulas are of such excellence that he is not afraid to subject them to the fullest scrutiny. He has come to believe, and is willing to concede, that his patients and all who take his put-up medicines have a perfect right to know what they are taking into their stomachs.

Not only does the wrapper of every bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the famous medicine for weak stomach, torpid liver or biliousness and all catarrhal diseases wherever located, have printed upon it, *in plain English*, a full and complete list of all the ingredients composing it, but a small book has been compiled from numerous standard medical works, of all the different schools of practice, containing very numerous extracts from the writings of leading practitioners of medicine, endorsing in *the strongest possible terms*, each and every ingredient contained in Dr. Pierce's medicines. One of these little books will be mailed free to any one sending address on postal card or by letter, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and requesting the same. From this little book it will be learned that Dr. Pierce's medicines contain no alcohol, narcotics, mineral agents or other poisonous or injurious agents; that they are made from indigenous, or native, medicinal roots of great value, the properties of which are extracted and perfectly preserved by the use of triple-refined, chemically pure glycerine of proper strength. It will also be found that the glycerine employed greatly enhances the curative principles of the several roots employed, as it is the best possible solvent of their medicinal principles, besides possessing intrinsic medicinal value of its own, being a fine demulcent, nutritive, antiseptic and antiferment.

From perusing this little book of extracts, it will be found that some of the most valuable ingredients contained in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak, nervous, over-worked, "run-down," and debilitated women, were employed, long years ago, by the Indians for similar ailments affecting their squaws. In fact, one of the most valuable medicinal plants entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was known to the Indians as "Squaw-Weed." Our knowledge of the uses of not a few of our most valuable native, medicinal plants was gained from the Indians.

As made up by improved and exact processes, the "Favorite Prescription" is a most efficient remedy for regulating all the womanly functions, correcting displacements, as prolapsus, anteversion and retroversion, overcoming painful periods, toning up the nerves and bringing about a perfect state of health. It cures the backache, the dragging-down distress in the pelvic region, the pain and tenderness over the ovaries, dries up the pelvic catarrhal drain, so disagreeable and weakening, and overcomes every form of weakness incident to the organs distinctly feminine.

"Favorite Prescription" is the only medicine for women, the makers of which are not afraid to print their formula on the bottle wrapper, thus taking their patrons into their full confidence. It is the only medicine for women, every ingredient of which has the strongest possible endorsement of the most eminent medical practitioners and writers of our day, recommending it for the diseases for which "Favorite Prescription" is used. It is the only put-up medicine for women, sold through druggists, which does not contain a large percentage of alcohol, so harmful in the long run, especially to delicate women. It has more genuine cures to its credit than all other medicines for women combined, having saved thousands of sufferers from the surgeon's knife. It has restored delicate, weak women to strong and vigorous health and virility, making motherhood possible where there was barrenness before, thereby brightening and making happy many thousands of homes by the advent of little ones to strengthen the marital bonds and add sunshine where gloom and despondency had reigned before.

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PROPOSED DEAL WILL BE DELAYED

Taking Over of Philadelphia Co. Interests Will Not Be Consummated Tomorrow.

SOME RUMORS OF OPPOSITION

It was stated in authoritative quarters yesterday that the proposed deal wherein the United Railways Company of San Francisco is to take over the Pittsburgh Railways Company, Allegheny Light Company, and subsidiary companies would not be consummated at the meeting of the stockholders of the San Francisco corporation, to be held in Jersey City tomorrow.

The only proposition to come before the stockholders of the United Railways Company at that time will be the recommendation for an increase of the issue of common stock from $10,000,000 to $.5,000,000. The purpose of this increase will be acknowledged to be for the taking over of the local properties, but the basis of the deal, and any offer that might have been made or accepted, will not be presented at that time.

While the general basis for the proposed transfer of the local properties to the San Francisco company have been agreed upon, several other considerations are still under deliberation and various slight changes on the basis of transfer have been suggested by both sides. The numerous underlying companies of the Pittsburgh Railways Company and Allegheny County Light Company have caused slight complications to arise, as have the newly acquired properties of the Beaver Valley Traction Company, the Washington and Canonsburg lines and the proposed line to Butler.

Should the stockholders of the United Railways Company agree to the increase of the issue of common stock for the purpose of taking over the local properties, which is expected in every quarter, final efforts will be made to bring the terms of the transfer to a close. When the basis for the deal is consummated another meeting of the stockholders of the United Railways Company will be called and the terms as agreed to by the officials of both corporations will be laid before the stockholders of the United Railways Company for their sanction. This is said to be compulsory under the laws of the state of New Jersey, under which the charter of the San Francisco company was obtained.

Rumors were rife yesterday that a united effort will be made by the minority stockholders of the Philadelphia Company to oppose the plan. Advices from Philadelphia say that signatures already obtained to the petition against the deal are in sufficient number to prevent its consummation. E. B. Smith & Co., of that city, are largely interested in the protest. The Finance Company of Philadelphia is said to be in a position to largely affect the deal. It is said that they were originally offered 60 for a large block of the stock, but refused to accept unless an open offer was made for the minority stock. It is not known whether they now expect to join the minority or the United Railways interests. Reports from New York state that the United Railways Company is already in possession of the majority of the stock, notwithstanding the opposition of minority interests. Among the reported recent purchases are 40,000 shares of the common stock from Brown Brothers Co., of Baltimore at about 45.

SESSIONS ARE INTERESTING.

Irwin Minister Scores Railroad Company for Causing Employes to Work on Sunday.

The weekly ministerial meetings held yesterday proved interesting. The Rev. J. A. Eby of Irwin, read a paper before the Presbyterian ministers on "A Modern Prophet." The Rev. Mr. Eby took occasion to score the Pennsylvania railroad for their disregard of the Sabbath in causing their employes to work on that day.

Dr. T. B. Noss, principal of the California State Normal school, addressed the Methodist Episcopal ministers, taking as his theme, "A Neglected Factor in Church Work." "The Responsibility of Protestantism for Prevailing Skepticism" was the subject of an address delivered before the United Presbyterian ministers by the Rev. W. I. Wishart, pastor of the Eighth United Presbyterian church of Allegheny. He contended that in large cities 3 per cent of the workingmen are not church members.

The Lutheran ministers met in Trinity Lutheran church, Stockton avenue, Allegheny, and an interesting paper, "The Use and Abuse of Consecrated Power," was read by the Rev. Harold B. Ernsberger. The Rev. E. J. Headley of Amitr, addressed the Methodist Protestant ministers on "Future Punishment, Retributive or Restorative." The Baptist members were addressed by the Rev. W. E. Pritchard, on "National Dangers and Religious Remedies."

TO HOLD THREE SERVICES.

Preparations About Completed for Meeting of Protestant Episcopal Laymen's Missionary League.

Archideacon H. A. Flint has completed arrangements for the annual meeting of the Protestant Episcopal Laymen's Missionary league, to be held in Pittsburgh on February 18. The principal speaker will be Dr. J. P. DuMoulin, bishop of Niagara, Canada. At 7:45 a. m. there will be a corporate celebration of the Holy Communion in St. Mary's Memorial church, Oakland, at which Bishop Cortlandt Whitehead will be the celebrant. At 10:45 the principal service will be in Trinity church, the annual sermon being preached by Bishop DuMoulin. Lay readers will be licensed at this service. Bishop DuMoulin will be the preacher at the evening service to be held in Emanuel church, Allegheny. On Saturday evening, February 17, the visiting bishop will hold a quiet hour with the members of the league in the parish house of Trinity church.

MAKE BIG HAULS.

Safe Crackers Loot Postoffices and a General Store, Securing $1,200 and Booty.

BRADFORD, PA., Jan. 29.—Thieves removed a 1,200-pound safe from the post office at Hazelhurst, 15 miles from here, carried it 500 feet and blew it open. Between $500 and $600 in money and stamps, money order books, receipts and postmaster's accounts were taken.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—The C. & P. railroad ticket office at Ramsey was entered by thieves, who blew open the safe and stole $100, tickets and other articles. The postoffice and general store of Young Bros. at Ramsey was also robbed and the safe blown open. Nearly $500, stamps and goods were taken.

SAVE LIVING AND DEAD FROM DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—The six-story building, 1517 Chestnut street, occupied by Oliver H. Blair, undertaker, was damaged to the extent of $50,000 today by fire of unknown origin. The top floor of the building was utilized as a factory and store room and much valuable lumber was destroyed together with casket fixings and funeral appurtenances. The loss is covered by insurance. Matron Cassell saved the lives of six employes by rushing to their sleeping quarters and arousing them. The men saved the bodies of two persons who were to have been buried from the establishment today.

Memorial Library to Dr. Harper.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—A library to cost at least $1,000,000, as a memorial to Dr. William Rainey Harper, late president of the University of Chicago, is assured. Members of the faculty, of the board of trustees and of the alumni held a meeting today and confirmed the decision to erect a library instead of a chapel.

Real Estate Brings $4,000,000.

JACKSON, O., Jan. 29.—The largest real estate deal ever effected in southern Ohio was completed today by M. Sternberger when the Superior Coal Company of this county transferred its property to the Superior Coal Company, a New York corporation, for $4,000,000. The Superior Coal Company is the largest producer of coal in southern Ohio.

ARMY AND NAVY MEN INDORSE KIRSCHLER

Spanish War Veterans Will Support the Republican Candidates in All Allegheny Wards.

The National Army and Navy Veterans' association, composed of members of the Spanish War veterans and the Marine Veterans' association, met last night in Teutonia hall, Pike street, Allegheny, and indorsed Charles F. Kirschner for mayor. Jacque LeBelle presided and George T. Price acted as secretary. When the roll was called 72 members answered. The resolution adopted pledges those present to support Kirschler, and in all wards in the city to stand with the straight Republican ticket.

National Treasurer Charles C. Holbrooke of Gloucester, N. J., was present and addressed the audience on municipal government. He urged all to work and vote for the Republican nominees in the city.

Col. Sheldon Potter, director of the department of public safety of Philadelphia, telegraphed last night to the Rev. Dr. Henry D. Lindsay signifying his intention of appearing as a speaker at the Good Government party meeting in Carnegie Music hall next Saturday night. Chancellor Samuel B. McCormick will preside and City Solicitor Rodgers of Pittsburgh will speak.

A meeting in the interest of Candidate Logan will be held tonight in the Fifth ward headquarters in Fayette street. Mr. Logan will make an address. The other speakers will be Russell Miller, Charles A. Painter and Dr. H. E. Campbell.

A well-attended meeting of the Good Government party was held last night in the Thirteenth ward, Troy Hill, Allegheny. John Bader, chairman of the ward organization, presided, and addresses were made by Common Councilman Joseph Roose, Edward Reineman, Fred Meyer and others. Arrangements were made for a mass meeting of the voters of the ward to be held in Turn Verein hall, Hamilton street, on Friday night.

The members of the True Blue party of Allegheny met last night at 209 South Diamond street and organized by electing W. J. Buchannan chairman, John Gordon vice chairman, Stewart Mulholland secretary and John Jackson treasurer. W. J. S. Moorehead was appointed chairman of the executive committee with power to appoint the other members. No candidates will be put in the field, the idea being to indorse candidates of other parties.

VENEZUELA PREPARING TO MEET AN INVASION

President Castro Expects Hostilities With France—Troops Are Mobilizing.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
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WILLEMSTAD, CURACOA, Jan. 29.—A prominent Venezuelan who has arrived here from Caracas, says that President Castro, while supposed to be resting in Maracay, has been actively engaged in visiting the garrisons and preparing for an expected invasion by France. Governors of the states have been called to the capital for instructions, troops are mobilizing and the impressment of the army has begun. The people are apathetic, but will be forced to fight, though they blame President Castro for going too far with M. Taigny.

President Castro has sent an extremely violent note to France, and has personally appealed to the kaiser to intervene to save German interests in Venezuela. He made the same request to England, but was refused on the ground of British cordiality with France.

Foreign representatives here believe that war is unavoidable and contend that whatever the result of the war the nations should take action, as by President Castro's declaration that diplomats lose all immunity immediately relations are severed, he refuses to send ministers abroad, reducing Venezuela to the plane of countries accorded consular officers only.

AT LARGE WITH CUFFS ON.

Sewickley Men Who Mixed Up With Police Have Hearings—One Has Escaped.

Will Wilson, Fred Howard and "Tody" Ingram, who were involved in a fight with policemen at the Sewickley railroad station early Sunday morning, had hearings yesterday before Justice Johnson and were fined $10 and costs each.

The two Wilsons were riding to their home in Sewickley on the "owl" train shortly after 1 o'clock and Will could not find his ticket when the conductor asked for fares. The conductor tried to put Wilson off, but gave it up. Later Wilson found his ticket, which he turned over to the conductor. The latter, however, had the men placed in the custody of Policemen James Dickson and C. F. Watson at Sewickley. The men resisted arrest and a general fight ensued.

In the confusion Earl Wilson escaped with handcuffs on and has not since been seen at Sewickley. Several random shots were fired by the officers and John English, an onlooker, received a flesh wound.

WARNING TO ENGLAND.

Field Marshal Lord Roberts Declares Britain Should Have No Less Than Million Soldiers.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—With the opening of the new parliamentary regime, Field Marshal Lord Roberts renews his campaign of warning to the country regarding the inadequacy of its defenses. Addressing the members of the Liverpool chamber of commerce tonight he affirmed that the nation was as absolutely unprepared for war as it was in 1899.

He urged the adoption of 1,000,000 men as the military standard, half of which would be needed for the defense of India and the other half to fit the nation to maintain an European struggle. Lord Roberts said he had heard of the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance with enthusiasm, but that national conditions and national necessities were subject to change and that the alliance only applied to Asia and not to Europe, where the danger was greater.

MOZART CLUB GIVES GOOD CONCERT THIS EVENING

The Mozart club sings the third concert of its 28th season at Pittsburgh Carnegie Music hall this evening, with the assistance of the Pittsburgh orchestra and three soloists, Christine Miller of this city, Nicholas Douty of Philadelphia and Julian Walker of New York. Edward Elgar's "The Dream of Gerontius" is the first work on this evening's program, repeated from last year by general request. Some less essential parts of it are omitted to make place for another Elgar composition, "The Banner of St. George," a ballad for chorus and orchestra, without soloists, which tonight has its first public hearing in Pittsburgh.

WANT HAWKINS RETAINED IN BEAVER FALLS OFFICE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—A large number of petitioners from manufacturers and business men were received today by the postoffice department asking for the retention of H. F. Hawkins, postmaster at Beaver Falls. There has been quite a contest for the place and an inspector was recently sent there to investigate some minor charges of irregularity. Another inspection has been ordered by the department.

MISS CONVERSE THROWN FROM RUNAWAY HORSE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—After clinging to the back of a runaway horse for three miles, Miss Shelby Converse, the daughter of Rear Admiral Converse, was thrown and seriously injured this afternoon. Miss Converse was riding with Lieut. Stephen C. Rowan, United States navy. The horse collided with a truck team and all the horses went down in a mass. Miss Converse was pinioned under one of the horses.

New Tech Department Opens.

The school of apprentices and journeymen of the Carnegie Technical schools opened last night with an enrollment of 200 pupils. This places the enrollment of the institution at 704 within three months after its opening. The domestic science department will be opened within a short time, giving the school nearly 1,000 pupils during its first year.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL TO GET BIG ADDITION

At Least $25,000 Will Be Spent to Provide More Room in Allegheny Institution.

St. John's General hospital, McClure avenue, Allegheny, is to be enlarged to provide room for at least 60 more patients. Architect R. Maurice Trimble has been selected to design the proposed building, which will be a four-story fireproof brick structure erected in the rear of the present main buildings, on ground now occupied by a number of frame buildings used for the hospital attendants and convalescent patients. The new building will cost at least $25,000, and at the next meeting of the board of trustees, two weeks hence, detailed plans will be completed for its erection. It is intended to have the building completed by midsummer if not before.

The addition will contain at least 50 private rooms, of which the hospital is now badly in need. It will also have a number of cells, especially constructed for delirium tremen patients. A large amphitheater will be provided with the operating room on the top floor of the building. The new quarters will aid materially in enabling the hospital to care for the rapidly increasing number of surgical cases which come to it from the railroads and shops of Allegheny.

MEN MAY ORDER STRIKE.

Officials of B. & O. System to Hold Conference With the Grievance Committee This Week.

An important conference will be held in Baltimore the latter part of this week, in the offices of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, between the officials and the grievance committees from the National Association of Railway Conductors, the Trainmen's association and the Boilermakers' union, all of which have demanded a wage advance. What advance has been asked for has not been made public, but it is reported the trainmen and conductors are seeking a 10 per cent increase.

It was also reported yesterday that the trouble between the railroad and the boilermakers, reported settled two weeks ago, had been reopened, and that the boilermakers at the Rochester, N. Y., and Glenwood shops are again out. The various repair shops in the Pittsburgh district, which number about 10, are also reported as being temporarily shut down. It is said that the demands of the men for an eight-hour instead of a nine-hour day had been granted by the railroad company, and that the shops would be reopened under an eight-hour basis on February 1.

HONOR DEAD PRESIDENT.

Canton Citizens and the Ohio General Assembly Observe Carnation-Day.

CANTON, O., Jan. 29.—Among the wreaths sent to the McKinley tomb today, which was the anniversary of the birth of the late president, was a handsome one from Postmaster General Cortelyou. His remembrance of his former chief was a large wreath of pink and white carnations, sweet peas and fuchias. Carnation day was quietly observed in this city. McKinley's life was reviewed in the public schools, and his favorite flower was freely used in decorations and on coat lapels.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 29.—A joint session of the Ohio general assembly was held in the hall of representatives tonight, in observance of the anniversary of the birth of William McKinley. Lieut.-Gov. Harris presided. Addresses eulogistic of the martyred president were made by Lewis B. Houck, secretary to Gov. Pattison; Thomas E. Powell of Columbus, and J. J. Sullivan, United States district attorney of Cleveland, O.

THREATEN POLISH PRIEST.

"Black Hand" Society Demands Parish Money from Father Polaski Under Pain of Death.

OIL CITY, PA., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—The Rev. Father M. Polaski, pastor of the Assumption Polish Catholic church in this city, has incurred the enmity of the "Black Hand" society. Members of the organization have written several anonymous letters to the priest demanding $3,000. Father Polaski paid no attention to these communications until today, when he received the following letter:

"Rev. M. Polaski. Dear Sir: We address you not as a priest but as a thief and murderer. If you do not give us the parish money we will kill you, and do away with you by 'Black Hand' methods." The trouble is attributed to a Lithuanian from Pittsburgh, who recently visited the Polish colony here and disseminated Socialistic doctrines.

GUARDSMAN GOES TO JIAL FOR NOT ATTENDING DRILLS

Private Garland G. Clipp of Company D, Fourteenth regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, was committed to jail last night, charged with non-attendance at drills. Capt. Charles C. McGovern, acting as summary court officer in the absence of Lieut.-Col. J. Harry Corbett, made the information. Clipp will be held until the next session of the military court, when he will be tried. The military officers of this locality are now beginning to enforce rigid compliance with regulations owing to the near approach of the spring inspections.

Will Lecture on Japan.

The bi-monthly meeting of the Men's club of Shadyside United Presbyterian church will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the church, Center avenue and Cypress street. Lee S. Smith will give a stereopticon address on "Japan and the Japanese."

Philopatrians at Kenwood Lawn.

The Philopatrian club will give a fancy dress carnival and euchre at Kenwood lawn on Tuesday, February 13. Handsome prizes will be awarded at the euchre and several trophies have been donated for presentation to the wearers of the most unique costumes.

NEW COPPER COMPANY ORGANIZED AT BUTTE

Eminent Men Connected With the Enterprise—December Output of the Various Mines.

BUTTE, MONT., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—The Butte and London Copper Mining Company, with a capital stock of $5,000,000, has been organized in Butte and incorporated under the laws of Arizona. Some of the most eminent men in the state are connected with it. The officers are: President, Theodore Brantly, chief justice of the supreme court; vice president, James H. Lynch, Butte, capitalist; treasurer, Alexander J. Johnston, cashier of Senator Clark's bank; directors, James A. Talbott, vice president of the First National bank; Charles F. Booth, president of the Daly Bank and Trust Company; E. J. Anderson of White Sulphur Springs, state senator; B. F. White, ex-governor; C. J. Kelley of the Hennessy Mercantile Company; Herman B. Eisenberg of London.

The company owns the Greendale placer claim, consisting of 113 acres, and lying about 1,000 feet east of the famous North Butte properties. Mining engineers have reported that the North Butte veins go through the Greendale. Adjoining the Greendale on the east is the Greenleaf of the Boston and Montana Company, upon which the latter is working, and has cut a vein at a depth of 150 feet.

The East Butte Mining Company has taken the leasers out of the Yankee Boy and Dutton mines and extensive repairs are being made in both. The Dutton shaft will be made the main working shaft of the East Butte and will be sunk to a depth of 1,000 feet. Leasers will continue working the other mines of the company until the property is fully equipped with larger machinery for extensive operations.

The Raven Mining Company has begun shipping ore and is also running another cross-cut to the veins from the 1,500 foot station, expecting to cut the main vein in about 40 days. From a raise on the 1,200 general assay averages give the vein a value of 12 per cent copper, 8 ounces in silver and $2 80 in gold to the ton.

The December output of ore in tons, daily and for the month, was as follows, apportioned among the different Butte companies:

Company	Daily	Month.
Boston and Montana	3,100	96,100
Anaconda	4,125	127,875
Butte and Boston	530	16,450
Trenton	600	18,600
Washoe	420	13,020
Parrot	400	12,400
Clark's Original	1,250	38,750
Pittsburgh	150	4,960
North Butte	625	19,375
United Copper	1,615	50,065
East Butte	180	5,580
Miscellaneous	400	12,400
Totals	13,405	415,555

The average yield per ton of ore in pounds of copper was: Boston and Montana, 73 pounds; Anaconda, 64; Butte and Boston, 63; Trenton, 62; Washoe, 68; Parrot, 70; Clark's Original, 72; Pittsburgh, 82; North Butte, 138; United Copper, 68; East Butte, 160; miscellaneous, 65.

TO NAME NEW SECRETARY.

William Dodds Must Resign as Officer of Mine Workers.

A special election for a secretary-treasurer will be held by members of the local district of the United Mine Workers of America, to succeed William Dodds. The latter was re-elected by a large majority two weeks ago, but a resolution passed in the national convention at Indianapolis, debarring any miner elected to a political position from holding office, will compel him to resign, he having been elected clerk of the Allegheny county courts last November.

During the district election an effort was made to pass a similar resolution, but it failed and the matter was then carried to the national convention. A special election will be held as soon as the delegates return from Indianapolis and it is said about 25 candidates will be in the field for the position. It was reported in some quarters yesterday that the executive committee may assume the right to appoint a successor to Mr. Dodds, under a privilege said to be granted by the constitution.

FIGHT WILL BE MADE FOR PART OF ASTOR FORTUNE

Should litigation now under way be successful a large part of the Astor fortune will perhaps come to Pittsburgh people. Heirs of John Emery, who was a partner of the first John Jacob Astor in the fur business, are organizing for the purpose of going after a part of the Astor millions. There are two heirs of John Emery in Pittsburgh, G. A. Emery, a passenger conductor, and his sister, Mrs. G. W. Barclay, both living at 6330 Kelly street.

Daughter Tells of Father's Threats.

MARIETTA, O., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—In the trial today of Edward Uhl, charged with killing his father, "Babe" Uhl, Eva Uhl, aged 13, a sister of the accused, testified that her father one night said: "I intend to kill your 'ma' tonight with this cane, and if you don't want to see it, leave the room." Mrs. Julia Smith, a neighbor, testified Mrs. Uhl told her not to be surprised if she heard of "Babe" killing her soon.

Glass Workers at Jeannette Strike.

JEANNETTE, PA., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Three hundred men are on a strike at the American Window Glass plant. The strike began Saturday morning when the first shift objected to the new terms of the company and was followed later by the other employes. The company is endeavoring to fill the places of the strikers.

Engagement Is Announced.

BOSTON, MASS., Jan. 29—A just announced engagement is that of Miss Florence L. Moore, daughter of the late Gen. Hobart Moore, to Milton Ward Hogle of Pittsburgh, Technology 1901. Miss Moore is well-known in Boston society, and is a pronounced favorite.

Increase Reward for Lewis' Slayer.

WARREN, O., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Five hundred dollars was this morning added by the county commissioners to the reward offered for the capture of the slayer of B. K. Lewis. This makes a total of $1,500. Local officials are still working on the case.

One Is Killed and Two Hurt.

APOLLO, PA., Jan. 29.—(Special.)—Dominico Luca was killed and Salvatore Uvercanso and Antonio Stefano were hurt, when a derrick loaded with stone collapsed at the new railroad bridge near here, this morning.

Convict Councilman Amundson.

AKRON, O., Jan. 29.—Councilman Jerry Amundson was tonight found guilty of soliciting a bribe of $1,400 from the Buckeye Sewer Pipe Company to get favorable legislation through the city council.

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HITS AT GARFIELD IN PACKERS' CASE

Attorney for Big Firms Tells of Promise Made at Time of Investigation.

LONG DAY OF EXAMINATION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—The trial of the packers indicted for alleged conspiracy in restraint of trade was commenced today before Judge Humphrey in the federal court. Louis C. Krauthoff, formerly general counsel for Armour & Co., was the only witness today. He described in detail his interview with Commissioner of Corporations Garfield, which prepared the way for the commissioner's investigation of the packing industry, and during which the packers allege he promised immunity provided they would allow him to have access to their books.

Commissioner Garfield told him, he said, the information would not be used in any criminal prosecution, and that his department had no connection whatever with the department of justice. Acting on these statements Mr. Krauthoff declared that he advised his clients as well as Nelson Morris & Co., and Swift & Co., to accede to the demands of the commissioner.

In the afternoon Mr. Krauthoff was cross-examined by District Attorney Morrison. When court adjourned tonight, District ttorney Morrison had not completed his cross-examination.

"What did you say your clients would do as to the production of the evidence?" was asked, concerning his talk with Garfield.

"I said that as I understood his position as to keeping our disclosures confidential I would advise my clients to do as he asked. He said that he intended to make a report so accurate in detail that there would be no question regarding it and for that reason he wanted to look into the books, and still reserve the right of an oath."

The witness then described his meeting with Commissioner Garfield as follows:

Charles G. Dawes telephoned to me and said that Mr. Garfield was in the city, and asked if I desired to meet him. I said that I would, and, in company with Samuel McRoberts, I call at Mr. Dawes' bank and we went to the Chicago club. I was introduced by Mr. Dawes to Mr. Garfield.

Mr. Garfield stated in a formal way, apparently careful of his language, substantially this: That the Martin resolution imposed upon him a duty of investigating the packing industry; that in order to do this, he must have access to the books of the packers. He said that he had held conferences with the President and others in respect to the investigation, and that it was of very great importance. He said that he was particularly anxious that the investigation should be fair, exhaustive and thorough, so that the usefulness of his department would be shown.

He said he spoke for the President, and that, of course, we would have the protection necessary under the law creating his department.

He said his department must necessarily be separate from the other departments, particularly the department of justice, and said that if it were known that his department was affiliated with the department of justice people would not give him any information.

I asked him whether we were to be protected in case of dishonest special agents. He assured me of this, and said that we were protected by the law, the source of his information being secret. He said with emphasis that, of course, the President of a great nation would not allow anything to happen to which anyone could take exception.

INSANE OFFICER CAUGHT.

Peoria Policeman Who Defied the Entire Force Captured and Deprived of His Arsenal.

PEORIA, ILL., Jan. 29.—After holding a large number of police officers at bay all night, Charles Harwood, a former policeman and insane, was captured today. Harwood consented to walk to police headquarters to talk matters over, but stated he would kill the first policeman to make a hostile move. At the city hall Sergt. Welsh and Officer Couch wielded their billies with good effect, knocking Harwood down and out before he could fire a shot.

When his home was searched three revolvers, in addition to the one he carried, were found. He was also plentifully supplied with ammunition.

Work of McKeesport's Assessors.

The city assessors of McKeesport have finished their annual report, showing that property valuation has greatly increased. The amount of taxable property is rated at $20,068,201, as against $19,279,676 a year ago. The city will receive in taxes alone about $235,000, which will be an increase over last year of more than $25,000. This does not include the revenue from the water department, city solicitor's office, police or other sources.

Will Give Concert for Charity.

The St. Vincent De Paul society on Monday evening, February 9, will give a concert at St. Brigid's church hall and the proceeds are to be devoted to charity. Those who will take part in the program are Miss Augusta Abel, who is one of the most talented pianists in the city; Miss Gertrude Heffernan, a violinist; Miss Florence Biechele, a contralto of Canton, O., and Mrs. Edith Harris-Scott, reader.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 7.9 feet and the river was falling.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—(Special.)—River 32 feet and falling. Departures were: Courier for Maysville and City of Cincinnati for Louisville.

WHEELING—River 10 feet 6 inches and falling. Departed: Bessie Smith for Parkersburg.

PARKERSBURG—River 13 feet and falling. The Queen City left for Pittsburgh, the French for Creston, the Valley Belle for Marietta.

STEUBENVILLE—River 10 feet 9 inches and falling. Down, Volunteer and Charles Brown.

MARIETTA—River 12½ feet and falling. Up, Queen City.

WARREN—River 2 feet 8 inches and falling.

GREENSBORO—River 8 feet 8 inches and falling. Down, Columbia.

OIL CITY—River 3 feet 6 inches and falling.

GALLIPOLIS—River 23 feet and falling.

POINT PLEASANT—River 19 feet 2 inches and falling. Down, Keystone State, Up, Henry M. Stanley.

PACKET LINES ARE BUSY.

Good Stage of Water Exists and Many People Are Traveling.

Outgoing packets yesterday carried the largest list of passengers for some time. The arriving packets were also well filled. The stage of water for packets is excellent, and all companies report a fine business. The freight shipments were also large. The shipments of butter, eggs, poultry and livestock were extremely large for this season.

The Bessie Smith arrived early yesterday morning from Parkersburg in place of the Ben Hur, she left at noon.

The Virginia left yesterday at 4 p. m. for Cincinnati, with a number of through passengers on board.

The Columbia will leave for Morgantown this morning.

The hull of the Andrew Axton has been raised and found not to be badly damaged. Specifications have already been made for a new boat. It was reported that the Diamond Coal Company had purchased the steamer D. B. Wood from the Monongahela Consolidated Coal & Coke Company.

Those who attended the convention of the American Association of Masters and Pilots have returned from Washington and report that much good was done by the convention in matters pertaining to the different waterways.

The Kanawha will leave for Charlestown this afternoon at 4.

NOTES OF TRADE.

AUGUSTA, ME., Jan. 29.—The Old Glory Copper Company filed a certificate of incorporation today with the secretary of state. The company owns property in Montana, and is authorized to have a capitalization of $1,000,000. The certificate of incorporation of the International Shoe Machinery Company shows that this concern will have an authorized capital of $1,000,000. The Pennsylvania Mining & Smelting Company also filed a copy of its certificate today. The authorized capital is $1,000,000.

The International Metals Company today filed its certificate of incorporation. The company was organized to conduct a general mining business. The capital stock is $10,000,000.

FOURTH AVENUE SALE OF $90,000

Harry Davis Disposes of the Former Baer Lot at 428, Near Cherry Alley.

DOWNTOWN BUYER NAMED

Through th Samuel W. Black Company, Harry Davis has sold the former Morris Baer property at 428 Fourth avenue for $90,000. Mr. Davis bought the property last year for $62,500, so that this deal nets him $27,500. Who the buyer is was not disclosed yesterday beyond the fact that he is a prominent business man. The lot measures 19x85 feet, facing on the south side of the avenue, is the third lot above Cherry alley, and is improved with an old two-story brick, the value of the building being comparatively small. The sale figures at the rate of $4,737 a front foot, or $55 73 a square foot, compared with $4,583 a front foot, or $46 83 a square foot, paid in December for the holdings of the Mercantile Trust Company, 66x100 feet, at 415-419 Fourth avenue. The buildings on the two properties are similar, and the rental from them is not sufficient to make the properties attractive from an investment standpoint, so that the deals are evidently made with a view to the higher valuations which are expected to prevail when the Berger building, at Fourth avenue and Grant street, and possibly a new postoffice building, are completed.

North Highland Deal of $75,000.

Attorney John M. Petty is the buyer of the Howard, Delaware and Norfolk apartment houses, at North Highland avenue and Bryant street, Nineteenth ward, which were sold lately through the office of W. J. White for the estate of T. Lee Clark, for $75,000. The buildings are three-story brick structures, handsomely finished and modern in their conveniences. Each contains six apartments of six rooms each, the total rental from which is $3,360 a year. The site measures 120x120 feet. The apartments were built about five years ago, and Mr. Clark got them two years ago from the estate of Bernard McKenna in an exchange deal. Attorney Petty will at once spend $20,000 in improving the buildings, putting in a new steam and electric light plant and many new fixtures.

W. L. Scott & Co. have sold for Enoch James to a local professional man the properties at 612x616 Wilson avenue, Lacock street, Allegheny, three frame houses on 40.6x64 feet, for $15,000. The houses are well rented, and the sale figures at the rate of $5 75 a square foot. The more encouraging reports concerning the entrance of the Wabash into the First ward, together with the possibility of the Greater Pittsburgh measure passing, are turning the attention of some investors to holdings in the lower wards, although the movement is not so well outlined as it has been formerly.

New Hotel is in Prospect.

John Wilson, proprietor of the Hotel Wilson, 10 Smithfield street, is the buyer of the J. J. McAllister lot, at 12 Smithfield street, the sale of which, for $100,000, was announced in The Gazette Sunday. The H. A. Shaffer Company handled the deal, and the interesting thing about the purchase is that it is likely to result in the erection of a six or eight-story hotel on the two lots owned by Mr. Wilson. No. 10 is 19x30 feet and No. 12 is 20x70 feet. The buildings are old three-story bricks, which would not permit of additions. It was learned yesterday that a hotel similar to Newell's, in Fifth avenue, is contemplated, but no plans have yet been decided on.

Architect R. Maurice Trimble has plans for a three-story addition to the building of the Humboldt Fire Insurance Company, at Pennsylvania and Beaver avenues, Allegheny. The present building of the company is shared with the Manchester Savings Bank & Trust Company, an allied concern, so that its quarters are much too small. The new building will cost about $15,000.

Architect Charles Bickel has awarded to the Harris-Adams Company the contract for building the two Arnfeld warehouses on the south side of Penn avenue, near Eleventh street. They will be eight stories high and will cost about $75,000.

The William Glyde Wilkins Company awarded to R. A. Cummins the contract for building a three-story reinforced concrete garage at Ellsworth and College avenues, Twentieth ward, for David P. Reighard.

Flats Sold for $24,000.

Through the Aronson Realty Company Kaskel Klebansky has sold to a local investor the Bloomberg flats, also known as the Irene apartments, at Crawford and Reed streets, Eighth ward, for $24,000, being $2,000 more than Mr. Klebansky paid for the property a short time ago. The lot has a frontage of 41 feet in Reed street and 120 feet in Crawford street, and the building is a modern three-story brick containing six suites of six rooms and bath.

John Fite has sold to Harry I. Schotter an improved property, 49x121 feet, in Elgin avenue, near St. Clair street, Nineteenth ward, for $18,000.

Extensive improvements are being made to the Edgewood hotel property at Edgewood park, Pa., where E. F. A. Fischer is now proprietor. The entire building has been refurnished and its capacity increased to 30 rooms. The grounds, which are only two minutes' walk from the Pennsylvania railroad, are being improved and beautified.

According to O. P. Nicola, who returned from Cleveland yesterday, no deal has been made for the Hotel Boyer property which, it was reported, the Shuberts were likely to secure. The Shuberts are now considering three large properties in the city for sites for their proposed theater. Negotiations for the Hotel Boyer, which is owned by F. F. Nicola and Wilbur Shenk, are still in a preliminary stage.

Sales Made by Brokers.

Ivy street: The Freehold Real Estate Company sold for W. Z. Morrison to Harold J. Lewis an improved lot, 30x106 feet, on the west side of Ivy street, near Ellsworth avenue, Twentieth ward, for $7,300.

Allegheny: S. M. Kennedy & Co. sold for Eula S. Campbell to Elizabeth May 1237 Locust street, Fifth ward, Allegheny, an eight-room brick house on 29x130 feet, for $6,000.

Sheraden: J. N. Kidney & Co. sold for Margaret C. Hamilton to O. R. Miller a six-room frame house on 25x100 feet in Merwin avenue, Sheraden, for $1,775; for Edgar E. Cox to J. D. Kinkead an improved lot, 75x100 feet, in Sheraden, for $2,200; the same property having been sold last month for $1,800; for Charles McKee to J. Robbins, a six-room frame house in West Pittsburgh, for $2,500.

Kirkpatrick street: George C. Norris & Co. sold for A. A. Grames to I. Zober two brick houses on 20x111 feet, in Kirkpatrick street for $5,825.

Hamilton avenue: William J. Reardon sold to K. E. Hopkins an improved lot, 40x138 feet, on the north side of Hamilton avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, for $6,450; an improved lot 30x150 feet, on the west side of Hastings street, near Fair Oaks street, Twenty-second ward, valued at $2,100, being given in part payment.

Hazelwood: W. J. Frazier sold to C. T. Theis an improved lot, 24x88 feet, in Monohela avenue, Twenty-third ward, for $2,600, and an improved lot, 24x95 feet, on the west side of Blair street, near Lowry street, Twenty-third ward, for $3,000.

Wandless street: Thomas Whitten sold to Catherine Reilly an improved lot, 60x61 feet, in Wandless street, Eighteenth ward, for $7,000.

Monroe street: J. H. Hodgden sold to R. L. Rieder 165x116 feet in Monroe street, near Orton street, Thirteenth ward, for $6,000.

Building permits were issued to the Seamon-Slieth Company for a one-story brick and steel machine shop at Forty-second street and the Allegheny Valley railroad, to cost $20,000; the Crucible Steel Company, one-story steel shop at Thirtieth and Railroad streets, to cost $25,000, and to Frank Kasprowitz, two-story brick dwelling on Berry street, Twenty-seventh ward, to cost $1,500.

Transfers Recorded.

Miller A H to T E Shingeldecker, Feb 28, Stowe twp, 24x100, Russellwod ave..	$ 2,100
Nimick F B to F B Maloy, Jan 2, 32d wd, Pgh, 7½ acres, 1-3 interest	11,000
Realty Co to V Lombardo, Jan 12, Port Vue, 60x100, Sylvan ave	2,600
Eckert Chas E to M Printy, Jan 2, 1st wd, Alle, 20x75, Arch st	9,600
Leighley C M to J H O'Brien, Jan 16, 20th wd, Pgh, 25x50, Swope st	8,000
Trefaller A to A L Trefaller, Jan 2, 14th wd, Alle, 25x77, Terrace ave	1,600
Corlett E S to E J Smith, Jan 16, 20th wd, Pgh, 24x97, Howe st	4,100
Limegrover W J to Angus Henderson, May 1, 21st wd, Pgh, 47x100, Lenora st	9,000
Russell John C to Louis Farkas, Dec 13, 35th wd, Pgh, 4 lots, West End place	1,200
Cooper Paul W to W M Gill, Jan 19, Scott twp, 80x115, Shady ave	1,500
Safe Invest B & L A to Harry J Fisher, Nov 17, Sheraden, 94x196, Merwyn ave	2,550
Fehr Geo B to F H Fryermuth, Dec 14, West View, 30x130, Ridgewod ave	2,100
Blackhall James to H Tennant, Dec 30, Wilkinsburg, 24x114, South ave	5,800
Lawton R E Co to H M Sherman, Nov 27, Ingram, 25x100, Hobson ave	3,100
Friedlander H to Louis Siegal, Jan 15, 7th wd, Pgh, 18x48, Clark st	4,500
Loose J M to J A Shannon, June 26, Swissvale, 50x105, Hawthorne ave	1,750
Kilgore J D to F S Downey, Jan 24, Munhall, 40x110, Eleventh ave	2,500
Bradshaw S H to J H Hodgden, Oct 26, 13th wd, Pgh, 325x115, Monroe st	9,750
Waligarski M to Edward Welsh, Jan 2, Harrison twp, 50x100, Walnut st	1,600
Foster Joseph to J Reichman, Jan 8, 11th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Clark st, ½ interest	3,750
Gammon W G to Wolf Laskin, Jan 16, 15th wd, Pgh, 40x148, Bedford ave	9,000
Werner O H to S J Feltyberger, Jan 2, 19th wd, Pgh, 70x65, Kirkwood ave	23,000
Eller Geo L to & Gladino, Sept 27, Penn twp, 3 lots, Parkers plan	1,300
Miller J N to Chas Dunbar, Jan 20, 19th wd, Alle, 42x110, Hawkins ave	8,000
Anderson Moses to C A Anderson, Jan 17, 27th wd, Pgh, 25x122, Susquehanna st	1,800
McMechen R B to F B Maloy, Jan 9, 32d wd, Pgh, 7½ acres, 2-3 interest	22,000
Ely Anna J to Geo B Fehr, Oct 26, West View, 30x120, Ridgewood ave	3,200
Morris W C to R B Coen, Jan 24, Pattion twp, 60x110, Center ave	2,400
Claar E C to Anna J Ely, Feb 1, West View, 30x120, Ridgewood ave	2,900
Packer W C to Joseph Horton, Dec 15, 2d wd, Braddock, 40x120, Braddock ave	8,000
Fidelity T & T Co to D W Reese, Jan 19, Homestead, 20x110, Fifth ave	3,000
Wise J J to A C Cope, Jan 20, 6th wd, McKeesport, 25x121, Fifth ave	14,000
Gressley S S to Lillie Cumpston, Jan 29, 6th wd, McKeesport, 25x80, Sixth ave	3,600
Edmundson J C to J H Spelker, Dec 15, Robinson twp, 2 acres	2,500
Stelley H M to N J Philips, Jan 24, Scott twp, 71x149, Wash road	5,000
Harrop H S to A R O'Hara, Nov 29, Swissvale, 25x115, Woodstock ave	1,250
Edwards D R to W H Wood, Jan 25, Homestead, 20x110, Fourteenth ave	3,000
Brown W J to Bessie Kranz, Jan 19, 8th wd, Pgh, 13x75, Vine st	3,700
Towers J A to August Barton, Jan 26, Ross twp, 146x56, Town ave	1,200
Wilson M H to J R Mellon, Jan 16, 19th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Frankstown ave	11,500
White E J to P Whitlow, Jan 9, 13th wd, Pgh, 45x119, Bedford ave	3,900
Hohman A to John Cooper, Dec 11, 15th wd, Pgh, 40x42, Smallman st	4,500
Krakover A to Israel Zaber, Jan 25, 13th wd, Pgh, 20x111, Kirkpatrick st	5,600

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Wilkinsburg—Center hall house, 14 rooms; 6 rooms on first floor, including conservatory; 5 rooms on second floor; 3 rooms on third floor; modern and expensive interior finish; steam heat; lot 165x132 feet; perfectly level; room to build; near steam and electric cars; will exchange for vacant or good farm.
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EXCELLENT INVESTMENT.

2-story brick store and apartment building; corner property and seven 6-room dwellings; modern; all rented at $3,816 a year; East End business street; will trade for clear city vacant.
C. G. MITCHELL,
Arrott Building. Both 'phones.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

Five frame dwellings, 6 rooms and bath each; all in good repair and rented; good location; price $15,000 clear. Will trade and assume mortgage on good business property.
KIRK & VOGEL, 1109 Arrott bldg.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Allegheny property, renting for $2,400 year; paying good net income; will trade equity of $15,000 for residence.
ELDERKIN-STANTON CO., 432 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

154 lots; 20 minutes' ride from postoffice; will take improved and part cash; lots are clear; what kind have you to offer? See
KIRK & VOGEL, 1109 Arrott bldg.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Will exchange equity of $7,500 in good renting property for residence. ELDERKIN-STANTON CO., 432 Fourth ave.

$2,500 equity to exchange in nice residence, Negley ave. district, for clear vacant. Box 1705, city.

BEAUTIFUL little farm to exchange for a grocery store. A. J. Lloyd, Rochester, Pa.

Business Opportunities.

SALOON—In good Ohio manufacturing town; 12,000 population; doing a business of $25 to $30 per day; 7 living rooms; fine fixtures; includes stock of liquors; rent $50 per month; business will clear $200 per month above all expenses; this is a snap and must be sold by Saturday. PRICE FOR QUICK SALE....$1,100
S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
Third floor, 300 Times bldg., 336 Fourth ave.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

DOCTOR OR DENTIST.

Good location for doctor or dentist (has been a dentist's and doctor's office for 15 years, until death of same), finest location in Allegheny for rooming house; 10 rooms, income $133 per month; rent $80; price $700.
PENNSYLVANIA & OHIO FARM CO.,
302 Times bldg.

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616 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth Ave.

BUTTER AND EGG STORE—One of the best locations in the city; sales $750 per month and up; rent only $15; location is very desirable; fine fixtures; everything in first-class condition; positively this business will clear $150 per month above all expenses. Price....$700
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Keystone Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

CIGAR STORE AND POOL ROOM—Oldest stand in Allegheny; clearing $300 per month. Address G 83, The Gazette.

GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET—In suburban town; 7 living rooms and storeroom, 20x45; rent, $55; lease to suit; stock invoices about $1,800; fixtures about $600; very fine fixtures; sales average $2,500 per month; this is a gilt-edged proposition; ask nothing for good will; will sell dollar for dollar; invoice price, about.....$2,500
S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
Third floor, 300 Times bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

GROCERY.

The leading store in neighboring borough; sales last year $22,000; almost all cash; stock and fixtures in excellent condition and will invoice about $2,200; will sell at cost.
CHARLES W. TURNER,
431 Fourth ave., Room 5, first floor.

POOL ROOM AND BARBER BUSINESS—Only one in the town; rent $15 month; 5 years' lease; business clears $150 month; price $1,500.
CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—A desirable paper route, handling 1,400 dailies and 1,000 Sundays; store in connection; doing a large tobacco and magazine business. Address E 85, The Gazette.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

SMALL investment. Large profits. No risk whatever. Address B 96, The Gazette.

WHAT have you in moving picture show? Full particulars. Address X 96, The Gazette.

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SPECIAL ATTENTION TO SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING BY FIRST-CLASS WORKMAN; GENUINE NEEDLES; attachments and parts for ALL MAKES; LOWEST PRICES; all work GUARANTEED.
CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,
SIXTH STREET, next Bijou.
Bell 'Phone 2340-J Grant.

Safes.

SAFES bought, sold and exchanged. W. Prager 119 Market st.

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COMPLETE furnishing of an eight-room East End residence; price $750. Address S 86, The Gazette.

FOR SALE.

Horses and Vehicles.

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SALES STABLES
200
High Class Horses
At Auction
Wednesday, Jan. 31,
AT 10 O'CLOCK.

T. U. BEAVER, Perrysville, O., will sell at 2 o'clock 40 head Draught Horses weighing up to 1,800 pounds.

Dr. Ware, Lexington, Ky., will sell at 3 o'clock 66 driving and saddle horses; Jake Weil, Indianapolis, Ind., will sell at 4 o'clock 54 draught and general purpose horses, also some mated pairs and coach horses; L. Price, West Virginia, will sell at 10 o'clock 20 head general purpose horses; W. M. Conner will sell 16 driving and coach horses, also a handsome pair bay cobs, high actors and well broken; Mary Mac Bro, trotting mare, record 2:40, has been 2:24½, over one-half-mile track, 15½ hands high and lady broke. Do not forget the place and date, Wednesday, January 31, at 10 o'clock.

OWEN FITZSIMMONS, JR.,
Proprietor.
Both 'Phones—406, 412 Duquesne way.

Largest Stock Business Wagons in the City.

Solid Panel Top Delivery Wagons, Laundry, Express Wagons, Trucks, Drays, etc.

The most of these wagons to be sold this week irrespective of price.

GERBER CARRIAGE CO.,
115-123 Seventh St.

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BUGGIES, RUNABOUTS, SURREYS, OPERA BUSSES, WAGONETTES and BUSINESS WAGONS OF ALL KINDS, SOME OF THEM PRACTICALLY AS GOOD AS NEW. NO FAIR OFFER REJECTED, AS WE WANT TO MAKE ROOM FOR OUR SPRING STOCK.

Gerber Carriage Co.
115-132 Seventh St.

YOU WILL FIND READY SALE for your horses, harness, vehicles, etc., at my regular auction sale.
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 31,
AT 10 O'CLOCK.
Plenty Buyers—Proper Treatment.
OWEN FITZSIMMONS, JR.,
406-412 Duquesne way,
Both 'Phones.

Machinery.

CONTRACTORS' MATERIAL.

7x10-inch D. C. four drum hoisting engine with boiler.
6½x8-inch D. C. D. D. hoisting engine with boiler.
10x10 D. C. S. D. hoisting engine; no boiler.
8-inch centrifugal pump, belt driven.
5-inch centrifugal pump, belt driven.
4-inch centrifugal pump, belt driven.
4-inch centrifugal pump, engine driven.
Cockburn concrete mixer with engine.
Brennan rock crusher.
Rock drills, air compressors, electrical equipment, etc.
WICKES BROTHERS.
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Both 'Phones. Pittsburgh, Pa.

GAS AND STEAM ENGINES in all sizes and for all purposes. We make a specialty of private lighting and pumping outfits; also complete power equipment for general purposes. Call and see our special electric gas engine in operation under full load. Send for our second-hand list.
TRANTER MFG. CO.,
105 Water st.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Engines, boilers, sawmills, sand crushers, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, road machinery, corn huskers, hydraulic cider mills, belting, hose, circular saws, general supplies.
B. D. REED, 26 E. Lacock st., Allegheny.

FOOS GAS ENGINES.

We will move April 1. Have one 7-h. p. and one 2-h. p. samples; one 7-h. p. and one 4-h. p. second hand; will sell cheap.
FOOS GAS ENGINE CO., 135 First ave.

GAS ENGINES.

We have four gas engines ranging from 2 to 7-h. p. that can be had at a bargain.
BOLLINGER BROS., 135 First ave.

GAS ENGINE. GASOLINE.
Marine and Stationary. Any type.
THE FAIRBANKS COMPANY, 316 2d ave.

GAS ENGINES—New and second-hand. Have us do your repairing. BRIGGS MACHINERY COMPANY, 238 Second ave.

Typewriters.

TO AVOID A MISTAKE examine our machines before buying; largest stock in city; prices lowest. Philadelphia Typewriter and Supply Co., 323-4 Lewis bldg.

SMITH PREMIER, Monarch, Remington, others, $10 up. Tristate typewriter, 317 Park bldg.

Musical Instruments.

VIOLIN MAKER—Old and new ones in stock. Reed, 117 Federal st.

Miscellaneous.

MILK.

Can deliver 60 gallons of milk daily at East Liberty, Union station or Chestnut st., Allegheny. Address B 97, The Gazette.

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711 Forbes st., Both telephones.
P. J. BRYNE, 634 Fifth ave.

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BAR FIXTURES, pool tables, desks, mirrors, safes, cash registers, show and wall cases. Delps', Fourth and Liberty.

FINE oak china closet, bird's eye maple bed, four-post mahogany bed, fine baby coach, two oak hall mirrors and seats and other furniture. 202 Graham st.

FOR SALE—Fancy second-hand garments; ladies' and gents' (private house). J. Ward, 1841 Webster ave., Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE.

Miscellaneous.

RARE COLLECTION OLD COINS
Representing 15 different countries, consisting of gold, silver, nickel, copper, will be sent by mail for one dollar. 150-page coin book, 25c. C. W. FRANKLIN, 239 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—A complete set of Cooper's and Tolstoy's works at very reasonable price. Apply 304 South Craig st.

MIRROR DOOR wardrobe, dresser, folding bed, cost $95; now $18. Silknitter, 274 Frankstown ave.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS for miscellaneous supplies, Office Isthmian Canal Commission, Washington, D. C., January 20, 1906. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at the office of the General Purchasing Officer, Isthmian Canal Commission, Washington, D. C., until 10:30 a. m., February 19, 1906, at which time they will be opened in public, for furnishing bar iron and steel, G. I. roofing, angle iron, babbitt metal, blank nuts, screws, rivets, bolts, iron pipe and fittings, valves, valve boxes, tackle blocks, wood split pulleys, leather belting and lacing, copper wire, boiler flues, wire netting, asbestos cement, copper tubing, thread, wool waste, glass, doors and sash, white pine, manila rope, metallic packing, asbestos packing, ship augers, line, cheese cloth, flags, cotton duck, barbed wire, tacks, draintile, foundry lining blocks, brass molding sand, belt lacing machine, foundry equipment, machine tools, wooden hand screws, whitewashing machines, garbage cans, pails, life-preservers, grindstones, door springs, stable brooms, farming implements, timber hooks, railroad crayons, glass cutters, gauges, lantern globes, anvils, coal baskets, scales, door knobs, faucets, boring tools, steel dies, numbering machines, mimeograph material, paper and paper bags, twine, desks, filing cases and guides, mesquito oil, carbolic acid, chloride of lime, wood alcohol, sulphur, sulphate of copper, putty, pyrex drum, lanterns, tanks and full information may be obtained from this office or the offices of the Assistant Purchasing Agents, 24 State street, New York city; Custom House, New Orleans, La.; also from Chief Quartermaster, Department of the Lakes, Chicago; Depot Quartermaster, St. Louis; Depot Quartermaster, Jeffersonville, Ind.; Chief Quartermaster, Department of the Gulf, Atlanta, Ga.; and the Commercial Club, Mobile, Ala.—D. W. Ross, General Purchasing Officer.

ELECTIONS.

Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon Railroad Co., Office 59 Carson st., South Side.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 20, 1906.
ELECTION—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office, 59 Carson street, South Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, February 20, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a president and 10 directors, to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
F. J. LeMOYNE, Secretary.

Waynesburg and Washington Railroad Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 16, 1906.
MEETING—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Waynesburg & Washington Railroad Company will be held at the general office of said company, in the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, February 6, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a president and board of directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
S. G. LIGGETT,
Secretary.

Office of the Pittsburgh Insurance Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 25, 1906.
ELECTION—The annual election for directors of this company to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company, Nos. 209 and 211 Fourth avenue, on Tuesday, February 6, 1906, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 1 o'clock p. m.
R. J. McKNIGHT, Secretary.

PERSONALS.

PERSONAL—Do you know a good painter? If so, have him do your work; if not, send for P. J. BYRNE. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best material. 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones, 711 Forbes street.

CHARLES HOWARD—Half Turkish and plain bath. 6108 Center ave. Professional rubbing and massage treatment given at private residences.

DAMAGE CASES—Personal injury and other damage cases taken on contingent fees. A No. 1 damage case lawyers. Adress T 31, The Gazette.

PERSONAL—Ladies' and gentlemen's cast-off clothing bought; highest prices paid. Gassel, 2229 Fifth ave. Bell 'phone 929-J Grant.

CASH PAID FOR CAST-OFF GARMENTS, LADIES AND GENTS. WRITE J. WALD, 1841 WEBSTER AVE. P. & A. PHONE 5251-M.

RELIABLE WATCH REPAIRING—We pay cash for old gold. CHRIST. HAUCH, 541 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

LADIES—When in need of a regulator try Dr. Jane Blanchard, 440 Sixth ave.

LOUISE F. BAPTISTE, chiropody and manicuring, 17 East Montgomery ave., Allegheny.

LOST.

LOST—Certificate No. 125,079 of preferred stock of the United States Steel Corporation issued in name of the undersigned. Transfer has been stopped, but reward will be given for return of same. J. L. Carnahan, Edith furnace, Woods Run, Allegheny.

LOST—Probably between Trenton ave., via Biddle, and P. R. R. station, Wilkinsburg, gold watch charm; Masonic emblem one side and monogram "R. E. C." other. Reward. Return 213 Trenton ave., or 'Phone 695-R Wilkins.

LOST—Pearl and diamond brooch, between Stevenson st. and Boggs & Buhl's store. Generous reward if returned to Lowrie, 9 Stevenson st., Pittsburgh.

LOST—In the vicinity of Idlewood, white bull terrier dog, weighing about 30 pounds; reward, $10. John S. Detweiler, Idlewood, Pa., or care Joseph Horne Co.

LOST—Lady's gold watch on pin, between Horne's store and Park building. Liberal reward for its return to The Gazette.

LOST—Party who found photograph on train (Saturday) please send to Jas. C. Jamison, Ingram, Pa.

AUCTION SALE.

There will be sold for account of whom it may concern at the office of A. J. LAWRENCE & CO., 512 Keystone building, on Monday, February 5, 1906, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.: Four (4) one thousand dollar first mortgage 5 per cent gold bonds of the PITTSBURGH AND ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILWAY CO.

INSURANCE STATEMENT.

THIRTY-FOURTH annual statement of the Armenia Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., for the year ending December 31, 1905:

ASSETS.

Real estate	$252,500 00	
Bank stocks	6,000 00	
Cash in bank	25,451 68	
Agents' balances	46,770 39	
Rents due and accrued	2,047 27	
		$331,768 74

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$200,000 00	
Re-insurance reserve	86,980 37	
Reserve for unpaid losses	19,502 71	
Surplus	25,285 66	
		$331,768 74

R. H. MARSHALL, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

PITTSBURG TRUST COMPANY,
Pittsburg, Jan. 25, 1906.
DIVIDEND No. 45—The board of directors of this company has declared a dividend of five (5) per cent, free of tax, on its capital stock out of the profits of the three months ending January 31, 1906, payable February 1 to stockholders of record January 25, 1906. Checks will be mailed. Transfer books will be closed from January 25 to 31, both inclusive.
CHAS. H. HAYS, Treasurer.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES.

BERRY DETECTIVE SERVICE. 433 Fifth ave. Bell telephone, Grant 648.

PERKINS' UNION DETECTIVE AGENCY—331 Fourth ave. Telephones—Private exchange.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

McDOUGALL, Craig and Forbes, Pittsburgh; 27 Federal st., Allegheny. Every afternoon and evening; 10 lessons, $3; six private, $5; society, stage, clog, buck and wing and fancy dancing, $5 and $10 a dance.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN the court of common pleas No. 2, of Allegheny

SHARP BREAK IN STOCKS, MARKET CLOSING WEAK

Declines Ranged from 1 to 7 Points—Railroads and Industrials Shared Equally in the Loss. Local Market Also Closed Lower.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The most pronounced reaction in the New York stock market for weeks occurred during the final hour yesterday. From the opening up to 2 o'clock the tone was rather uncertain, although the strength displayed by a few specialties like Amalgamated Copper, National Biscuit and St. Paul, finally gave the market an upward tendency. Shortly after 2 o'clock it was announced from Washington that a resolution had been introduced in the house calling upon the President for any information he may have tending to show that the Pennsylvania group of railroads is a combination in restraint of trade. Then came the news of the large majority against a motion to reconsider the vote. Immediately the tone of the market turned weak, and the downward movement gained momentum at a rapid pace. Liquidation was on an enormous scale, and profit-taking by the bulls, joined with the pounding by the bears, caused something like demoralization to appear. The dealings were on an enormous scale, and the ticker run for 15 minutes after 3 o'clock recording 178 sales. The final sales were as a rule, the lowest of the day.

The news from Washington was evidently a pretext; or rather the market was in a position to seize upon any new development that might be construed as a pretext for forcing a reaction. What surprised the street was the number of stop-loss orders encountered on the way down, indicating a technical weakness in the speculative position. Any other view would force the conclusion that Wall street really believed the administration at Washington had some information that would tend to prove the Pennsylvania group of roads a combination in restraint of trade, and had prejudged the case.

While the largest decline was in Reading, which broke from 148⅛ to 139⅜, and closed at a loss of 7 per cent, the Pennsylvania group closed 2 per cent lower, Baltimore & Ohio 1, Erie 1⅝, Norfolk & Western 2½ and Ontario & Western 1½ lower. On the other hand Canadian Pacific broke from 173⅜ to 169, and closed at a net loss of 4⅛ per cent. This road could not come within the jurisdiction of the interstate commerce commission, and yet with one exception its loss was greater than that in any American road.

The net declines in the western roads ranged from 1¼ in Southern Pacific to 3 per cent in St. Paul. New York Central closed 2⅛ lower. The southern group of railroad stocks closed ½ to 1½ per cent off; Rock Island closed ⅛ higher, the rise being based upon the excellent report of earnings for December. This was the only active stock in the whole market to close at a gain.

The break in United States Steel stocks—the common and preferred each closed 2⅛ lower than on Saturday—was unexplained, except on the theory that an investigation of the Pennsylvania might disclose that United States Steel was a beneficiary. The quarterly report of the corporation will be made this afternoon, and it is expected to show not only large earnings, but the largest tonnage of unfilled orders booked in the history of the corporation. The minor iron and steel stocks closed on the average 1½ per cent off. Amalgamated Copper, which had advanced to 113, lost all its early gain and closed 1⅛ per cent lower. Smelting and National Lead each closed 5½ per cent lower, and Sugar 3¼ off. Among the specialties, International Power made a sensational rise from 75½ to 85, and reacted to 8. Anaconda Copper fluctuated between 282 and 272 and closed at 274. Call loans were easy and unchanged.

Crucible Steel preferred led the decline in the local stock market and on sales of 1,110 shares sold down to and closed at 77½, the bulk of the business being handled in the closing half hour. The common on sales of 1,620 shares declined from 17 to 16¼, closing at the lowest. The most active stock was Manufacturers Light and Heat, which continued unaccountably weak. On sales of a little more than 2,400 shares the stock declined from 35⅛ to 33⅞, closing at the lowest. Ohio Fuel Supply closed ½ lower, at 37. Pittsburgh Coal common was moderately active and rallied to 16⅞. There were no transactions in the preferred. Westinghouse Electric rallied a point to 84, but the other Westinghouse stocks were neglected. Lustre Mining was strong in the early dealings, advancing to 33⅞, but it subsequently declined to 32½ and closed at a loss of ½ for the day. Tonopah Extension rallied to and closed at $7 45. United Copper advanced from 63¾ to 69½, the latter the highest ever quoted on the local exchange, but it reacted in the late dealings and closed offered at 66. In the bond department Independent Brewing 6s declined from 105¾ to 104¾, while Pittsburgh Brewing 6s advanced to 113¼.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

50 Crucible pfd.... 79⅝ | 50 U. S. Glass..... 58½
50 do..... 79⅝ | $5000 Ind. Brew. 6s..105¾
100 Un. Pacific.....157 | 50 Mfrs. L. & H..32½
20 Lustre ..... 33½ | 15 do..... 32½
100 Crucible com... 17 | 10 do..... 32½
10 do..... 16⅞ | 24 Ohio Fuel..... 37¼
200 do..... 17
50 Fire Proof. Pfd 95½
100 P. Plate Glass.119
1 U. S. Steel pfd.111
3 do..... 111

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

20 Mfrs. L. & H.. 32½ | 20 P. Plate Glass..119
25 do..... 32½ | 5 do..... 119
10 do..... 32½ | 50 Crucible pfd.... 79⅝
20 Lustre ..... 32½ | 100 Un. Copper..... 64
100 Lustre ..... 32½ | 100 do..... 65¾
10 do..... 32½ | 35 do..... 65¾
190 Electric 2ds... 83½ | 7 Colonial Trust..360
5 do..... 83⅝ | 1 do..... 360
10 P. Brew. com.. 28

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

50 Crucible pfd.... 79½ | 100 United Copper.. 66⅝
25 do..... 79½ | 10 do..... 66¾
25 do..... 79½ | 50 do..... 66¾
50 do..... 79½ | 200 do..... 66¾
2 do..... 80 | 100 do..... 66¾
4 do..... 80 | 5 do..... 66
10 U. S. Steel pfd.111⅝ | 20 Fire Proof. pfd. 26
500 Tonopah Ext... 7.35 | 5 Ohio Fuel..... 37¼
60 do..... 7.30 | 10 Electric 2ds..... 84
25 do..... 7.35 | 100 Lustre 33
5 P. Brew. pfd.... 49⅜ | 100 do..... 33⅛
600 Mfrs. L. & H.. 32¾ | 100 do..... 33¼
5 do..... 32¾ | 25 do..... 33¾
15 do..... 32¾ | 5 do..... 33⅝
15 do..... 32½ | 20 do..... 33½
10 do..... 32½ | 25 do..... 33⅞
10 do..... 32½ | 25 do..... 33⅝
2 do..... 32½ | 25 do..... 33¾
10 do..... 32½ | 25 do..... 33⅞
10 do..... 32 | 25 do..... 33½
5 P. Brew. com.. 28 | 50 P. Coal com.... 16⅛
100 do..... 28 | 100 Crucible com... 16⅞
5 do..... 28 | 25 Sewer Pipe..... 35½
96 do..... 28 | 67 Fire Proof. com 8⅜
25 United Copper. 65½ | 50 P. Plate Glass..119
12 Colonial Trust..360

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

25 Electric 2ds... 82⅝ | 85 Mfrs. L. & H.. 32
125 do..... 83½ | 300 do..... 32
25 Lustre ..... 33½ | 40 do..... 32
25 United Copper. 68 | 200 do..... 32
100 do..... 68 | 150 do..... 32
25 do..... 69½ | 20 P. Brew. com.. 28
50 H.-W. Ref. com. 13⅞ | 20 do..... 28
10 do..... 13⅞ | 100 do..... 27¾
15 Crucible pfd.... 79⅜ | 100 P. Coal com..... 16⅞
50 do..... 79⅝ | 100 U. S. Steel com 44⅝
4 do..... 79½ | 110 Crucible com... 16¾
100 Mfrs. L. & H.. 32½ | 5 Fire Proof. pfd. 95½
220 do..... 32 | 20 do..... 95⅝
20 do..... 32 | 100 Tonopah Ext.... 7.45
50 do..... 32 | $1000 P.M.C.K.& C 5s.104⅝
10 do..... 32

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

100 Tonopah Ext... 7.45 | 50 Mfrs. L. & H.. 32
100 do..... 7.45 | 15 do..... 32
50 U. S. Steel com 44⅛ | 50 do..... 32
350 Ohio Tonopah... 39 | 15 do..... 33
75 do..... 39 | 2 Fire Proof. com 8½
1000 do..... 40 | 25 Crucible pfd..... 79⅝
150 do..... 40 | 5 do..... 79⅝
300 do..... 40 | 25 do..... 79⅝
25 do..... 40 | 75 do..... 79½
5 W. Airbrake... 152⅜ | 75 do..... 79½
100 Crucible com... 16⅝ | 75 do..... 79½
175 do..... 16⅝ | 5 do..... 79½
200 do..... 16⅝ | 50 do..... 79½
105 do..... 16⅝ | 100 do..... 79
100 do..... 16⅝ | 300 P. Coal com..... 16⅞
5 Lustre ..... 32⅜ | 80 P. Brew. com.. 27⅞
57 Mfrs. L. & H.. 32⅝ | 50 do..... 27⅞
110 do..... 32 | 10 Common. Trust.185

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

25 Crucible com... 16½ | 100 Crucible pfd.... 78
50 do..... 16½ | 25 do..... 78
50 do..... 16½ | 10 do..... 77½
50 do..... 16¼ | 12 Electric 2ds.... 84
50 do..... 16¼ | 80 Lustre 32½
50 do..... 16¼ | 20 do..... 32¼
100 Mfrs. L. & H.. 32⅝ | 50 do..... 32½
300 U. S. Steel com 43⅜ | 75 do..... 32½
50 Crucible pfd.... 79¼ | 20 do..... 32½
25 do..... 79 | 25 Sewer Pipe..... 35⅜
35 do..... 79 | 57 Ohio Fuel..... 37
50 do..... 78⅞ | $2000 P. Brew. 5s...115¼
50 do..... 78½ | $1000 Ind. Brew. 6s.104¾
50 do..... 78⅝

Summary.

STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	C'ge.
Sales.				
1620 Crucible Steel.....	17	16¼	16¼	—⅝
1110 Do preferred.....	*80	77½	77½	—2½
50 Fireproof.....	*83⅝	*83⅝	*83⅝	0
25 Do preferred.....	26	25½	25⅝	—⅜
90 H. W. Refrac.....	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	—⅛
365 Lustre	33⅜	32½	32½	—⅞
2425 Mfrs. L. & H....	32½	31⅞	31¾	—⅞
68 Ohio Fuel.....	37¼	37	37	—⅛
1900 Ohio Tonopah.....	40	39	40	+.62
465 Pgh. Brewing.....	28	27⅞	27⅞	0
5 Do preferred.....	49⅜	49⅜	49⅜	0
480 Pgh. Coal	16⅞	16½	16⅞	+⅜
175 Pgh. Plate Glass..	119	119	119	0
50 Sewer Pipe.....	33½	33⅜	33⅜	—⅛
8775 Tonopah Ext.....	7.45	7.30	7.45	+.15
100 Union Pacific.....	157	157	157	+1½
870 United Copper.....	69½	63¾	69½	+5¼
50 U. S. Glass	58½	58½	58½	0
400 U. S. Steel.....	44⅝	43½	43¾	—1⅜
14 Do preferred.....	111⅝	*111	111⅝	+⅛
5 West. Airbrake....	152⅜	152⅜	152¾	+⅜
277 West. Elec. 2s....	84	83½	84	+1
BANKS, ETC.				
20 Colonial Trust.....	360	360	360	0
10 Commonw. Trust....	185	185	185	0
12065				
BONDS.				
$6,000 Ind. Brew. 6s.....	105¼	104¾	104¾	—⅜
2,000 Pgh. Brew. 6s.....	113¼	113¼	113¼	+¼
1,000 P., McK. & C. 6s.	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝	0
$9,000				

*Less than 10 shares. †New high mark.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Commonwealth Trust	100	184	186
Diamond National	100	405	420
Equitable Trust	100	...	157
Federal National	100	...	200
Fifth Avenue Bank	50	81	...
German National Bank	100	...	280
Iron & Glass Dollar Sav. Bk.	100	...	215
Iron City Trust	100	120	125
Keystone National	100	...	380
Metropolitan National	100	...	190
Second National, Pittsburgh.	100	...	270
Safe Deposit and Trust.....	100	...	400
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe.....	100	33¾	33½
Consolidated Gas preferred..	50	...	50
Consolidated Ice	50	6½	7
Do preferred	50	38½	...
Crucible Steel	100	16	...
Do preferred	100	77½	77¾
Harbison-Walker Co. pfd.....	100	...	82½
Lustre Mining	10	32½	...
Mfrs. Light and Heat.....	50	33½	33¾
Marsden	100	3½	3⅝
Monongahela Water	25	...	28
National Fire Proofing.....	50	8½	9
Do preferred	50	25½	25⅝
Ohio Fuel Supply.....	25	37	37¼
Pgh. Oil and Gas.....	100	45	...
Philadelphia Company	50	...	52⅜
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	27¾	28
Do preferred	50	49½	49⅝
Pittsburgh Coal	100	16½	16⅞
Do preferred	100	58¼	59½
Pittsburgh Plate Glass.....	100	119	...
Standard Underground Cable.	100	203	...
Tonopah Extension Mining..	1	7.42	7.55
Ohio Tonopah	1	...	.40
United States Steel.....	100	43	...
Do preferred	100	111½	...
Westinghouse Electric.....	50	83¾	83½
Do 1st preferred.....	50	50	...
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	152	155
National Glass	50	12⅜	14
Independent Brewing	50	40¼	40⅝
United Copper	100	66	66½
Bonds—			
American Sewer Pipe 6s.....	....	101¼	....
Monon. L. and P. 5s.....	....	100¼	....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s....	....	104¾	....
Philadelphia Company 5s.....	....	111½	112½
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s.....	....	113¼	114
P. & A. Telephone 5s.....	....	82½	82½

Unlisted Securities.

(Reported by George W. MacMullen & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Kansas Natural Gas	43	...
Union Natural Gas	102	...
Fayette County Gas	24	...
Pure Oil	7	...
Dominion Gas	...	70½
Rock Run Fuel Gas	...	.45
Window Glass Machine common..	...	6
Window Glass Machine preferred.	...	18
National Union Fire Insurance....	142	...
Stewart Creek Mining Co.....	...	.62
Red Rock Mining Co.....	.70	.75
Coast Range Mining Co.....	...	.40
Black Hills Copper (Ariz.).....	.25	.33
Pittsburgh & Montana Copper....	18½	...
Trade Dollar	1.25	...
Reeling Springs	.20	...
Cable Lease	4⅝	5
Yellow Tiger	.18	.20
Bonds		
*Pittsburgh Oil & Gas 6s.....	...	99
*Union Steel 5s.....	98½	98¾
National Glass gen. mtg. 6s.....	97¼	...
*Ohio Valley Water	...	98½
Sales—		
195 Gold Anchor		1.45
100 Golden Anchor		1.44
100 Golden Anchor		1.43
2000 Cable Lease		4¾

*And interest.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Wall street acted yesterday as if it had proof positive that one of the greatest railroads in the country was an illegal combination, and as if it feared an investigation extending to other corporations would reveal an alarming state of corporation anarchy. From the way stocks were thrown overboard during the closing 15 minutes of the market one might imagine that yesterday was the last day available for converting paper profits into cash. But this was all a pretense. Every conservative banker and broker has felt for weeks past that the market was artificial. Conditions of property or of business or financial affairs were coming to play a very small part in some of the most sensational movements in the market. As a natural consequence the weakest features on the reaction yesterday were not connected with any news development. But with the reaction fairly in force, attention was readily given by the speculative element to suggestions of an unfavorable purport which have passed unheeded for many weeks, although quite as obvious as they are now. For instance, there was a sudden recrudescence of apprehension over threatened legislation and legislative investigation. The movement to investigate the state banking department at Albany was dressed out with many alarming possibilities in its effect on the banking position in New York city. A fear was expressed that a contraction of credits will follow. The resolution in the house of representatives at Washington to investigate the combination of subsidiary railroads under the control of the Pennsylvania company had a similar effect.

The decline which occurred on the Pittsburgh stock exchange was almost entirely sympathetic with the weakness prevailing in Wall street. Almost without exception the losses occurred after 2 o'clock. The largest decline was in Crucible Steel, and it merely kept pace with a like movement in United States Steel in the New York market. Brokers watched the stock ticker, and when they saw that there was no sign of recovery, they offered Crucible and some of the other active shares at concessions.

The continued heaviness in Manufacturers Light and Heat was not explained by any new developments. Campbell Bros. were the largest sellers, marketing 1,000 shares at 33. The buying was scattered.

The street continues to discuss the prospective market movement of Westinghouse Electric with much interest. Sentiment is rather bearish, although the investment basis of the stock at present prices is about 5.85, as compared with 4.62 per cent for General Electric. The difference between the two, however, lies in the face that General Electric issues a very complete financial statement, from which readers may calculate its investment basis, while Westinghouse Electric issues no annual statement, and the figures which are given out at irregular intervals when the company is issuing new securities leave something to be desired in the way of details.

Mr. H. E. Anderson, who has been with the Westinghouse Machine Company and lately assistant treasurer, is now with the Pittsburgh office of Henry Sprout & Co., and will have charge of the financial affairs of the house.

The stock exchange rules that all transactions in the first preferred stock and assenting stock of Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company made on February 5, 1906, except for cash shall be "ex-rights." Certificates delivered after February 5 for all contracts made prior thereto, or for unsettled cash transactions of February 5, must be accompanied by an assignment of rights, or a due bill for the same. Sales of rights made on and after February 7, except transactions made specifically for cash, must be settled on February 8, 1906, on which day all due bills must be redeemed. Transactions in rights on and after February 8 must be for cash or regular way. The right to subscribe terminates February 13, 1906.

The Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company has declared the usual quarterly dividends of 1¾ per cent on the preferred and 1 per cent on the common, payable forthwith.

The Jefferson and Clearfield Coal and Iron Company has declared a dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock.

The Pullman company, it is reported, will soon begin construction of a new $5,000,000 steel plant, to be erected near their present plant at Pullman. The new plant will have capacity for 100 steel cars a day and will be a new branch in the business of the Pullman company.

The number of stockholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company have fluctuated greatly in the last seven years. When Mr. Cassatt came into office the number of shareholders was 24,558. The number increased yearly until 1903, when the maximum, 45,057, was reached. Since May of that year there has been an almost continuous decline, and at the last dividend period the number had fallen to 40,421. All corporations in this country have had the same experience in the past year or two as the tendency has been to larger holdings and fewer stockholders.

Sales of North Butte in the Boston market yesterday were 1,470 shares at prices ranging from 87 to 87½. The stock closed at 86 bid.

It is reported that application will be made to list United Copper stock on the New York exchange.

There are intimations that American Car and Foundry common stock may be placed on a 4 per cent dividend basis in March.

The Rock Island statement for December shows an increase in gross earnings of $602,470 and an increase in net of $375,628. Including the 'Frisco system net earnings increased $566,694.

The Boston Elevated Railway has declared regular semi-annual dividend of $3 per share, payable February 15, to stockholders of record February 1.

The stockholders of the St. Joseph Lead Company will hold a meeting this week to vote on a proposition to increase the capital from $6,000,000 to $20,000,000. It is understood that a stock dividend of 100 per cent will be declared out of the new stock to be issued. There are no negotiations on for the merging of the company with other companies.

In the hour between 2 and 3 o'clock over 700,000 shares changed hands on the New York stock exchange.

A Philadelphia dispatch said: Messrs. Brown Bros. & Co. state that the report of a sale by them of Philadelphia Company stock is entirely erroneous. They have neither sold nor contracted to sell their holdings.

On February 15 New York city will sell $20,000,000 4 per cent bonds. Previous issues have been 3½ per cent.

This week's Philadelphia bank statement shows an increase of $3,491,000 in loans, a decrease of $1,061,000 in cash and a decrease of $1,551,000 in surplus reserve.

The syndicate headed by Harvey Fisk & Sons to underwrite $4,500,000 Railway Steel Spring Company first mortgage 6 per cent bonds has been closed with good profit to the members.

This week's Boston bank statement shows an increase of $219,000 in loans and a decrease of $987,143 in surplus reserve.

That the bull market has culminated is a matter about which there is a great diversity of opinion. But in the best informed quarters it is maintained that although further liquidation may be necessary in order to restore the market to a healthy condition, anything like a permanent bear market is not to be looked for until the general condition of the country is less prosperous than at present.

The Norfolk & Western railway has sold to Brown Bros. & Co. $3,000,000 divisional first lien and general mortgage bonds and $3,000,000 equipment trust certificates.

The Rock Island has sold Speyer & Co. $11,784,000 4 per cent bonds, the proceeds of which will be used for refunding and improvements.

Receipts and Expenditures.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $1,334,985; government receipts from internal revenue, $1,202,055; customs, $928,959; miscellaneous, $14,736; expenditures, $2,070,000.

Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3½ to 6 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

LIQUIDATION BEGINS IN STANDARD STOCKS

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The Herald this (Tuesday) morning says: Stocks were highly irregular for the greater portion of the trading yesterday, breaking violently in the closing hour under selling, which was unmistakably of a liquidating character. The closing was riotously disorderly, and at the lowest prices of the day. Persons who, at the beginning of the retreat, regarded the selling movement as in the nature of a well planned and well executed bear raid found in the extensive declines in the standard issues and the failure of the market to rally a basis for some modification of opinion as to the character of the selling.

Most of the shrewd observers were convinced that long stock was coming out in large volume, some of it voluntarily, and more of it in consequence of stop loss orders and in consequence of exhausted margins. Early attempts to support the market were for the most part advanced before the close, and covering by shorts was powerless to stay declines.

Overshadowing all else as an influencing factor in the closing hours of the session was the wholly unexpected news that the house of representatives had adopted a resolution calling upon the president to inform the house what information, if any, the Interstate commerce commission possessed as to the violation of the anti-trust law of 1890 by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and its affiliated lines.

Though at first the street was inclined to make light of this, attributing it with the usual Wall street cynicism to disappointment of congressmen over failure to obtain railroad passes, before the close of the day many persons regarded the resolution as a very serious matter. The decline in stocks brought about this change in opinion.

Some persons held that the resolution created all the possibilities of another Northern Securities litigation, with the Pennsylvania railroad and its allied lines like the Baltimore & Ohio, Norfolk & Western, Chesapeake & Ohio and others. Still others thought the resolution would strengthen the President's hand in passing a railway rate bill.

There was plenty of news in the market other than the prospect of an investigation of the Pennsylvania railroad calculated to depress sentiment. In fact, the news of the day was preponderatingly bearish.

From abroad came the report that foreign markets were depressed as a result of some unpleasant possibilities arising out of the Moroccan conference and also a result of a severe break in the value of Russian rouble notes at Berlin, which in turn depressed Russian securities.

Aside from the foreign developments there were unfavorable developments concerning the traction merger and an anti-official announcement that it would probably be bitterly contested both in the legislature and without. The contest over the proposed investigation of the state banking department and the banks and trust companies was not calculated to arouse bullish enthusiasm.

Deal and merger stories in reference to copper and smelting properties were circulated, but they were unconfirmed, denied in some details and were void of influence.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

One reason for the long delay in mining from Oliver shaft of the Calumet & Arizona has been the weakness of the hoist. Efforts to improve this hoist have been unavailing, and a new one is to be installed.

The Lake Superior and Arizona Company is preparing to build 25 miles of railway from Florence to its mine. This will be preliminary to a smelter at Florence, which is on the Gila river, where plenty of water can be had at all times by digging wells.

The Imperial Copper Company at Silver Bell is shipping ore to the Queen smelter, and its monthly copper production is now about 600,000 pounds. For 1906 its production is to be made more than 6,000,000 pounds. The company will erect a 300-ton smelter at Red Rock, where its short railroad joins the Southern Pacific west of Benson.

The Dragoon Copper Company of Pearce, a few miles north of Elsbee, has been working for 20 months on money advanced by the directors, no assessments having been available from stockholders. In that time they have proved up a small mine. The ore is a copper oxide carrying considerable precious metal value.

The Hoatson shaft is sinking nearly as fast as last week, and the ground through which it is going is steadily improving. It is notable that this shaft is passing through just the character of ground that the Oliver had for sometime before it made its rich copper strikes. The Briggs is drifting from the 1,128-foot level, and is meeting with good ground. There is no great change in the amount of water pumped by this shaft or by the Junction. The Hoatson has not yet cut water.

The Copper Queen Company has begun the erection of a precipitating plant for its copper water, pumped from the Czar shaft. It has been a matter of wonder for some time that the big companies at Bisbee did not pass their mine water through launders filled with iron scrap and thus precipitate the copper held in solution, as it is done at Butte, Keswick and many other sulphide camps. It has been a fact that most of this Bisbee mine water is not impregnated with copper. The enormous flow from the Calumet & Pittsburgh has been tested for copper sulphate precipitation, but nothing was saved. The water did not seem to carry any copper in solution. It has now been discovered that the Czar shaft, which pumps about 250,000 gallons per day, is carrying a good deal of copper in the water, and precipitation will begin in a short time.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The London tin market was about 5s higher, with both spot and futures quoted at £164 5s. The local market advanced 10 points on the average in response to the firmness abroad and closed with spot quoted at $35 20@36 50. Copper was irregular in London, spot selling at £78 10s, while futures were a shade higher at £77 12s 6d. Locally the market was unchanged, with lake and electrolytic quoted at $18 00@18 50 and casting at $18 00. Lead was unchanged at £16 12s 6d in London and $5 60@5 80 in the local market. Spelter advanced 2s 6d to £27 12s 6d in London. The local market was weak, however, with spot quoted at $6 20@6 30. Iron was higher abroad, with standard foundry closing at 52s 5d and Cleveland warrants at 53s. Locally the market was unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $18 75@19 25; No. 2 foundry northern, $18 25@18 75; No. 1 foundry southern, $18 50@18 75; No. 2 foundry southern, $17 75@18 25.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing. Bid.	Ask.
Allouez	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Adventure	5½	5½	5½	5½	5⅝
Arcad'an	...	...	...	4¾	...
Atlantic	24¾	25⅜	24¾	25¼	25⅜
Boston Con.....	29¾	29⅞	29¾	29	29⅜
Bingham	34½	38½	34	37	37½
Black Mountain ..	...	...	...	12	12¼
Calumet & Hecla..	700	700	700	700	705
Centennial	29	29	28¾	28¾	29
Daly West	16½	17	16¼	16⅜	17
Elm River	...	...	...	3⅜	3½
Franklin	13⅜	13⅜	13	13	13⅜
Granby	10	10	10	10	10¼
Greene	28¼	28⅜	27⅝	28	28⅛
Isle Royale	28	28¼	27	25	25⅜
Mass	10¾	10⅞	10¼	10¼	10⅜
Mohawk	52	52	58¼	58¼	59⅜
Mitchell	...	...	...	13⅜	14
Michigan	15½	15½	15	15	15½
North Butte	87	87½	86	86	86½
Osceola	102	102½	101½	102	102½
Old Dominion	38¾	39	38¾	...	39
Old Colony	...	...	...	1¾	1⅞
Parrot	41	42	41	41	42
Phoenix	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Quincy	110	110	110	110	110½
Range Con.....	83½	83¾	82	83¼	82
Rhode Island	7⅛	7⅜	7⅛	7¼	7⅜
Adex	...	...	...	7⅜	8¼
Trinity	9¼	9¾	9¼	9¼	9¾
Tamarack	107½	107½	107	108	108½
United Copper	69½	69½	63¾	66	66½
Utah	67½	68	64½	64½	65
U. S. Mining	61¼	60⅝	59⅜	59¾	60
Victoria	...	...	...	7¼	7⅝
Wolverine	...	...	...	132	138
Winona	7	7	6⅞	6¾	7
Keweenaw	...	...	...	17½	17⅝
Nevada	12	12⅛	12	12¾	12⅝

BISBEE MINING STOCKS.

Calumet & Ariz.....	...	...	...	...	120
Calumet & Pgh	...	...	...	...	4
Junction	...	...	...	26	26½
Lake Sun. & Peh..	...	...	...	...	48
Pgh. & Duluth.....	...	...	...	...	24
East Butte	...	...	...	9½	9⅝
Raven	...	...	...	4⅝	4¾

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Amalgamated Copper held very well in comparison with the others. North Butte was in good demand all day. Copper Range came out freely, and the buying orders seemed scarce above 80. Bingham was taken in hand, advancing 4½ per cent, with a reaction to 37. Rumors of a deal between Heinze and A. C. S. interests caused a good market for Butte & Boston Copper, and the stock was very strong till just at the close. The market seems to have two sides at present, and we advise selling stocks on all rallies for the present.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.....	.25	Little Chief.....	.07½
Alice	3.85	Ontario	2.75
Breece	.45	Ophir	.8.75
Brunswick Con....	.35	Prospect	.2.00
Comstock Tunnel.	.06½	Potosi	.14
Con. Cal. & Va....	1.35	Savage	.45
Horn Silver.....	1.25	Sierra Nevada	.37
Iron Silver.....	1.90	Small Hopes.....	.30
Leadville Con.....	.07	Standard	4.30

*Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sprout & Co.)

Am. Tin Can.....	10⅝	Otis Elevator pfd.	107
Do preferred.....	76⅜	Seaboard Air Line.	20
Electric Vehicle...	14	Do preferred.....	60
Do preferred.....	46	Standard Oil.....	625
Green Con. Cop....	26	Tenn. Copper.....	45
Interborough	234	Tonopah	18
Int. Mer. Mar.....	13¾	Bethlehem Steel..	33½
Do preferred.....	36½	Do preferred.....	87½
International Salt.	30	Nev. Con. Gold....	5
Do 5s.....	73½	United Copper.....	66¼
Otis Elevator.....	58	Do preferred.....	90

PABST'S TRANSIT LINE RECEIVED BIG REBATES

Under Agreement With Erie Road, Company Controlled by Brewery Got Plenty of "Mileage."

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Jan. 29.—That the Milwaukee Refrigerator Transit Company has received a total of $66,520 in commissions since organization in 1906, besides the sum of $229,979 in mileage, and that the sum of $160,500 has been paid in dividends during that period, was brought out today in examination of T. F. Howe, president of the company, in connection with the suit instituted by the government against the transit company, the Pabst Brewing Company and seven defendant railway companies for violations of the Elkins anti-rebate act.

It developed that by a traffic arrangement with the Erie, it costs the shipper $84 to send a car of freight from Milwaukee to New York city. Of this total, the Milwaukee Refrigerator Transit Company receives in rebates and mileage, $23 08.

By far the greater part of the business of the transit company comes from the Pabst Brewing Company. Gustav and Fred Pabst were on the stand this afternoon.

Two Dozen Cases of Measles.

Twenty-four cases of measles, 14 of pneumonia, 13 of typhoid fever, three of scarlet fever, two of diphtheria and three of erysipelas were reported to the bureau of health.

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Bright Outlook Is Expressed for This Market During the Current Week—Few Changes.

The weekly advice from the Elgin factories yesterday made no changes in quotations for the butter market. It is thought the market is not as firm as last week, as there was rather quiet trading, and, with the exception of fine table grades, the market was easy. The under grades of fresh creamery are accumulating. The market for storage butter is extremely dull, and imitation butter is slow.

There was no change in the egg market yesterday. The general tone is still weak, and there was a drop in the quotations of storage eggs. It is reported that during the recent flurry in eggs one firm, which has a branch in this city, lost over a dollar a case on 67,000 cases.

There is little or no change in the cheese market. Trading continues satisfactory, with the stocks steadily reducing.

The apple market continues firm under a good demand, with the former prices well sustained. Some fancy varieties are selling higher than the outside quotation. Cranberries are still in limited supply, and those which are held are being sold at about the prices quoted.

There was a large supply of live poultry received yesterday on the arrival of the different packets, and it is thought the receipts for the last week have been excessive and are starting off heavy again this week.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts bulletined yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 39 cars hay, 12½ cars oats, 7½ cars corn, 2 cars straw. Baltimore & Ohio, 9 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 2 cars corn, 1 car rye, 1 car straw. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 6 cars hay, 7 cars oats, 3 cars corn, 1 car flour.

The receipts yesterday were for two days, and compared with those of the previous Monday were only about one-third as much, which had a better effect on the market here. Buyers are becoming convinced that the selling prices here are too low, and as soon as receipts drop off there is bound to be strengthening advance in prices, hence sales were better yesterday, with a general better feeling.

No. 1 timothy ....$13.00@13.25	No. 1 white middlings ...$21.50@22.00
No. 2 .....$11.25@11.75	No. 2 middlings ...$21.25@21.75
No. 1 clover...$8.25@9.75	do brown..$19.50@20.00
No. 2 clover...$8.50@9.00	Bran, ton....$19.50@20.00
No. 1 mixed..$10.00@10.50	Wheat, No. 1 red,
No. 2 mixed...$9.25@9.75	new, at mill..75@80c
Straw, oat.....$7.00@7.50	Corn—New yellow
do wheat....7.00@7.50	shelled .....47@48c
do rye ....$8.00@8.50	New high
No. 2 white	mixed car....48@48c
oats .....36@36½c	New yellow
No. 3 white	car .....50@51c
oats .....35½@35½c	No. 2 Michigan
No. 4 oats.....34@35c	rye .....75@76c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up....16½c	back strips 11¼c
Over 14 to 18 lbs..16½c	Dry salt sides, extra,
Over 10 to 14 lbs 11c	short clears 8¾c
10 lbs and under..11¼c	Bellies, 20 to 25
Skinned 11¼c	lbs. 9c
Boneless, boiled ..17½c	do 16 to 20 lbs.....9¼c
California 8½c	do under 16 lbs..9¼c
Shoulders, N. Y.a.	Dry salt smoked
cut 8¼c	sides, extra
do skinned 8¾c	short clears 8¾c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs....12c	Bellies, 20 to 25
do 10 to 12 lbs..11½c	lbs. 10c
do back strips..10¾c	do 16 to 20 lbs...10¼c
do clears, 3 to 10	do under 16 lbs..10¼c
lbs. 12½c	Lard, pure, tierces...8c
do 10 to 12 lbs...11¾c	

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	do Imported..17@37½c
Prints .....30@30½c	do Limberger, new ....13¼@14c
Tubs .....29@29½c	do 5-lb brick,
Onio cream.....27@28c	new .....14½@15c
Dairy .....20½@21½c	do Neufchatel,
Cooking .....20@21c	large box...90c@$1.00
Cheese, N. York full	do Shefford, box...95c
cream, new.14½@15c	Eggs, selected ....20@21c
Ohio full cream..14½@15c	do strictly nearby
do ¾ cream..13@13½c	fresh .....21@22c
do Picnics....15c@15½c	do southern ....20@21c
do Wis. Swiss,	do storage .....15@16c
tubs .....15@15½c	
do block ....15@15½c	

HIDES

Heavy green salt	Bulls, No. 1, over
steers, over 60 lbs.13c	60 lbs. 10c
Light steers No. 1 12½c	Calf, green salt,
Cows, all weights.12½c	No. 2 .....11c
	do No. 1.....12c

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb	Evap. apricots, 25-lb
pkgs.....5@9¼c	box, choice..10@11½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb	do fancy .....11@12c
box, lb. ....10@12½c	Cleaned currants,
Evap. apples,	1-lb pkgs ....8¼@9c
1-lb pkgs....7¼@7¾c	Prunes, Cal., lb...5@10c

GROCERIES

Flour.	do cubes 5.00c
Fancy spg. Minn.	do coffee A.....4.55c
pat .....$4.75@4.80	do No. 1 yellow..4.40c
Kansas pat..$4.65@4.70	do No. 2 yellow..4.30c
Fancy winter	Beans.
patent ....$4.20@4.30	Navy, choice,
Rye .....$3.60@3.95	R. P. ....$1.80@1.90
Buckwheat ....$2.50@3.00	Red Kidney ....$3.35@3.50
Graham, 10-lb	Cal. lima, lb. ...5@5¼c
bags .....$2.30@2.50	Peas, dried,
Cornmeal,	bu. .....$1.30@1.35
bags .....$3.15@3.25	do split, lb. 3½c
Rolled oats, bbl...$5.20	do marrowfat,
do kegs $2.75	bu. .....$1.75@1.85
Roasted Coffee.	Oil, carbon, 110
Rio .....15@15¼c	deg. 12c
Santos .....23¼@24½c	do water white....13c
Maracaibo ....16@16½c	do Ohio W. W.
Peaberry .....15½@15c	150 deg. 12½c
Golden Rio 15½c	do Elaine 18c
Caracas .....20@21½c	Miners' oil, special
Standard, pkgs...14.55c	brands .....26@43c
High grade..15½@15½c	Rice, ex-fancy
Molasses, fancy,	head, lb. ....6½@7c
refined .....35@36c	do fancy
do choice ....31@34c	Japan .....4¾@5c
do open ket....37@39c	do choice,
do 2-lb 95c	Carolina .....5½@6c
do 3-lb .....$1.35@1.65	Salt, No. 1, bbl....$1.10
Fancy syrup ....28@30c	do No. 1 extra....$1.20
Maple sugar, gal..$1.00	do gran. rock.....55c
Sug. and cane...21@25c	do pocket....$1.65@2.10
2-lb cans, doz.....80c	do dairy $1.40
2½-lb cans, doz....90c	Lentils, fancy
5-lb cans, doz....$1.70	"G-O." lb....4½@5¼c
10-lb cans, doz....$3.40	Sauerkraut,
Maple, gal.....75c@$1.00	40-gal cask,$7.50@8.00
Sugar, sta. gran...4.80c	do 15-gal keg.$3.50@3.75
do bags 4.75c	do bbls. ....$3.50@6.00
do 2-lb carton...4.90c	Honey, combed, w. c.,
do 5-lb bags.....4.90c	fancy, lb. .....17@18c
do pow'd xxxx..4.85c	do choice .....15@16c
do cut loaf.....5.05c	do buckwheat..15@15c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes .....75@80c	Lettuce, bskt.....50@60c
Sweet potatoes,	do hampers..$3.00@3.50
Jersey fancy,	Endive, bbl....$5.50@6.00
bbl. .....$3.25@3.50	Escarall .....$4.50@5.00
Jersey sweets,	Head lettuce,
crate .....$1.00@1.15	bbls. $6.00
do med.,	Spinach, bskt....50@60c
bbl. .....$1.75@2.00	Rutabagas,
do fancy,	bbl. .....$1.15@1.25
hamper ...$1.00@1.25	Kale, bbl. ....75c@$1.00
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu. ....70@80c	Cranberries,
do yellow Danvers,	box .....$5.00@5.50
bbls. .....$2.00@2.25	Eggplant, crt..$3.00@3.50
Silver skins,	Garlic, lb. .....8@10c
bbls. .....$3.50@4.00	Watercress, doz...25@35c
do bu. .....$1.50@1.75	Cauliflower, Cal.,
Valencia,	crates .....$4.00@4.50
crates ....$3.25@3.50	Carrots, bbls..$1.75@2.00
do Spanish,	Cucumbers,
crates ....$1.40@1.50	Boston, doz..$1.75@2.00
Cabbage, bbl.,	Turnips, bbl....$1.50@1.75
G. C. ....$1.50@1.75	do bu. .....50@60c
do red .....$1.75@2.00	Beets, bbl. ....$2.00@2.25
do Savoy,	Squash, marrow-
bbls. .....$1.00@1.25	fats, bbl...$2.50@2.90
Green peppers,	Hubbard,
crate .....$2.00@3.50	bbl. .....$1.75@2.00
Green beans,	Popcorn, lb. .....4@5c
bu. .....$4.00@4.50	Mint, doz. .....50@55c
Celery, Ohio, large	Parsley, doz. ....40@50c
bunches .....40@50c	Parsnips, bbl.$2.00@2.25
do small	Horseradish ...$5.50@6.00
bunches .....20@25c	Brussels sprouts,
California celery,	quarts .....14@15c
crate .....$3.75@4.00	Radishes, doz....25@50c
do doz. .....75@85c	Shallots .....35@40c
York state celery,	Strawberries, qt...40@50c
doz. .....50@60c	Rhubarb, doz. ...40@55c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie..$1.05	Raspberries ....$5@95c
do pie, gal.$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries ....$5@90c
do California,	Tomatoes,
L. C. ....$1.90@2.05	fancy .....$1.10@1.30
do California,	do standard..$1.05@1.10
Y. F. ....$1.90@2.25	do gal. $2.50
Corn, fancy..$1.10@1.20	Succotash, 1-lb
do stand. .....80@90c	cans .....$1.10@1.25
Cherries, California,	Baked beans, cans,
white ....$2.50@2.75	tomato sauce.75@95c
Lima beans..$1.35@1.45	Salmon, doz....95c@$2.00
do soaked .....75@90c	do red, 1-lb
String beans,	flats .....95c@$1.00
2-lb .....65@70c	do pink, 1-lb
do 3-lb .....90@95c	talls .....$1.81@2.10
Stringless	Chipped beef...$2.25@2.75
beans ....$1.10@1.60	Corn and roast beef,
Peas, mar-	2-lb cans..$2.30@2.40
rowfat .....80@90c	do 1-lb cans.$1.25@1.50
do early June..75@90c	Mackerel,
do soaked .....55@65c	broiled ....$1.90@2.50
Plums, California ....$1.40@1.60	Sardines, domestic, ¼s.....$2.50@3.00
Apples, N. Y.	do mustards, ¼s..$2.50
gal. cans..$2.50@2.75	do French..$6.50@18.50
Pineapples ....$1.25@2.50	

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings,	Pineapples, smooth
fancy .....$5.50@6.00	Cayennes ..$4.00@4.50
Other fancy	Red Spanish...$4.00@4.50
varieties ..$4.50@5.00	Pears, bbls....$3.00@3.50
do choice ..$3.50@4.00	Limes,
do California,	per 100 ...$2.00@2.50
box .....$1.75@3.00	Dates, stuffed 13c
Lemons, Messinas,	Figs, California,
fancy ....$3.00@3.50	box .....90c@$1.00
do choice ...$2.50@2.75	Layer, lb. .....10@12c
Oranges,	Grapes,
Florida ...$2.25@2.75	Malaga, bbl..$5.00@5.50
California $2.50@3.00	do fancy ...$6.00@7.00
Cocoanuts,	Grape fruit,
bags .....$3.25@3.50	Florida ....$5.00@6.00
do doz. .....45@50c	Tangerine
Bananas, lots $1.50@2.00	straps .....$4.00@5.00
do 2nds ....$1.00@1.50	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens .....13@14c	Ducks, ruddy $1.25
do roosters ....8@9c	do red head.$1.70@3.00
do turkeys ....17@18c	do canvas-
do geese .....10@11c	back .....$2.75@3.00
do ducks .....14@15c	Impt. golden plover,
do pigeons,	doz. $5.50
doz. .....90c@$1.00	do black plover...$4.50
Dressed hens....16@17c	English pheasants,
do springers...17@18c	per pair $3.25
do roosters ....11@12c	Reed birds, doz....$1.25
do turkeys ....20@22c	Snappers, per lb...8@9c
do Long Island	Pigeons, pair....30@35c
ducklings 26c	Frogs, doz. ....$2.25@2.50
do ducks .....17@18c	Rabbits, pair ....40@50c
do capon .....26@27c	Squirrel, doz. .$1.00@1.50
Squab, doz...$3.75@4.00	
do No. 2....$2.00@2.25	

NUTS.

New California	English walnuts,
walnuts 17c	lb. .....12@15c
Chestnuts,	Butternuts ...$1.25@1.50
Italian .....7@8c	Hazelnuts, lb.....11@12c
Hickory nuts,	Almonds, lb. .....14@15c
bu. .....$1.75@2.00	Pecans, lb. .....11@12c
Walnuts, bu. ...50@75c	Shellbarks ....$2.00@2.25

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes,	Apples,
car lots, fancy,	Fancy, bbl..$4.50@5.00
bu. .....70@75c	Choice, bbl..$3.50@4.25
Cabbage, G. S.,	Onions, bbl....$1.75@1.85
ton .....$20.00@21.00	do bu. .....60@65c
	Cal. celery....$3.75@4.00

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bids: January, 10.95c; February, 10.96c; March, 11.00c; April, 11.17c; May, 11.25c; June, 11.28c; July, 11.32c; August, 11.16c; September, 10.58c; October, 10.48c. Spot closed quiet, 20 points lower. Middling uplands, 11.50c; middling gulf, 11.75c. Sales, 800 bales. The market opened steady at an advance of 3@10 points on the old crop months, and unchanged on later positions, the advances being due to higher cables than expected and continued reports of a good trade demand. There was more long cotton for sale, however, and shortly after the call prices eased off to about the closing figures of Saturday. Trading was not particularly active, and there did not seem much aggressive selling for short account, but the market acted very nervous and unsettled, and New Orleans was a seller here. At midday the market was very weak and unsettled under increased liquidation and aggressive bear pressure, with prices down to new low levels for the movement, or about 7 points under Saturday's finals. Spot quiet; middling uplands, 11.70c; middling gulf, 11.95c. Estimated receipts at the ports today, 21,000 bales, against 17,782 last week and 32,375 last year. For the week, 100,000 bales, against 111,085 last week and 150,605 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 5,984 bales, against 13,522 last year, and at Houston, 4,859 bales, against 2,654 last year.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29.—Spot, good business done; prices 1 point lower; American middling, fair, 6.61d; good middling, 6.27d; middling, 6.11d; low middling, 5.95d; good ordinary, 5.77d; ordinary, 5.61d. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 10,900 American. Receipts, 6,000 bales, including 1,900 American. Futures opened easier and closed easy; American middling, G. O. C., January, 5.93d; January and February, 5.93d; February and March, 5.93d; March and April, 5.56d; April and May, 5.99d; May and June, 6.01d; June and July, 6.02d; July and August, 6.04d; August and September, 5.97d; September and October, 5.76d; October and November, 5.69d; November and December, 5.68d.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5@10 points in response to rather disappointing European cables, somewhat larger receipts at Brazilian ports, although the interior movement continued light, and the decline in the rate of Brazilian exchange. Demand was light, but there was no aggressive selling and the market showed no material change after the opening. The closing was quiet at a net decline of 5@10 points. Sales were reported of 30,250 bags, including February at 6.85c; March, 6.90c; May, 7.05@7.10c; July, 7.20@7.25c; September, 7.35@7.40c; October, 7.50. Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8 7-16c; mild quiet; Cordova, 9¾@12¾c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96 degrees test, 3½c; molasses sugar, 2¾c; refined steady.

Government Bond Quotations.

(Reported by Scully, Painter & Beech.)

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Prev. Day. Bid.	Ask.
U. S. 2s, reg., 1930.....	102½	103⅝	103¼	103⅝
U. S. 2s, coupon, 1930...	102⅝	103⅝	103¼	103⅝
U. S. 3s, reg., 1908.....	102¼	103¼	102¼	103¼
U. S. 3s, coupon, 1908...	102¾	104	103¼	104
U. S. 3s, small bonds..	102¼	....	102¼	....
U. S. 4s, reg., 1907.....	103	103¾	103	103¾
U. S. 4s, coupon, 1907...	103	104	103	104
U. S. 4s, reg., 1925.....	129¼	130¼	129¼	130¼
U. S. 4s, coupon, 1925...	130¼	131½	130½	131½
Dist. of Columbia, 3.65s	116	....	116	....
Philippine 4s, 1914-34...	109⅝	110¼	109	110¼

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The volume of business in the drygoods market today was somewhat augmented, and buyers were never inclined to operate where they could get goods for immediate delivery. They were willing to pay premiums for prompt shipment.

SHIPMENT VOLUME BRINGS SHARP DROP

Bearish News Causes Lower Grain Prices, Which Recover and Close on Even Basis.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Foreign advices of a bearish character caused a break in the price of wheat today, but the loss was regained on covering by shorts. At the close the prices of wheat, corn and oats were almost the same as at Saturday's close. Provisions were 2½@5c higher. The wheat market opened extremely weak under a general selling pressure. Initial quotations on May were ⅝@¾c lower at 84¼@84¾c. The cause of the decline was a sharp falling off in the price of wheat at Liverpool because of the unexpectedly large volume of world's shipments, the total movement for the week being 10,129,000 bushels, against 8,394,000 bushels for last week. The amount on passage increased 2,112,000 bushels and further encouragement was afforded to the bears in the fact that weather conditions in the United States were favorable to fall sown wheat.

At the end of the first hour the news of the day became more favorable to the bulls. A report from Minneapolis declared that stocks of wheat at that point had increased only 53,000 bushels during the last two days, and the demand for cash wheat was said to be excellent. The visible supply statement showed an increase of but 42,000 bushels when an increase of from 500,000 to 1,000,00 bushels had been generally expected. Active covering by shorts commenced and commission houses bought freely during the last half of the session. These things caused a complete recovery from the early loss. The highest point of the day for May was reached at 84⅝@85c. The market closed steady, with May at 84¾@85c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 189,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 781,000 bushels, against 704,000 bushels one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 514 cars, against 754 cars last week and 501 cars one year ago.

Lower cables, the prospect of increased country shipments, and the decline in wheat, all tended to weaken the corn market early in the day. After the first hour commission houses bought actively and this, together with the firmer feeling in wheat, caused the market to become steady. May opened ¼@¾c lower at 43⅞@44c, sold up to 44¼c and closed steady at 44@44¼c. Local receipts were 232 cars, with 7 of contract grade.

Because of the weakness of wheat there was much profit taking in oats early in the day and the market was weak. The decline brought about a lively demand by commission houses and pit traders which resulted in a steadier feeling. May opened ½@⅝c lower at 30¼@30½c, sold up to 30⅝c and closed at the highest point. Local receipts were 227 cars.

Provisions had a strong undertone. Receipts of hogs were below the estimate and the weekly exports of lard were double those of the corresponding week one year ago. At the close May pork was up 5c at $14 10@14 12½. Lard was up 5c at $7 60. Ribs were 2½@5c higher at $7 55@7 60.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow—Wheat, 20 cars; corn, 569 cars; oats, 306 cars; hogs, 34,000 head.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'rday's Close.
WHEAT					
May	84½	85	84¼	84⅝	84⅞
July	83	83½	83⅛	83½	83¼
CORN.					
January	40½	40¾	40½	40¾	40⅝
May	44	44⅝	43⅞	44¼	44⅛
July	44⅛	44⅝	44	44⅜	44¼
September ..	44⅝	44⅝	44½	44⅝	.....
OATS.					
January	.....	.....	.....	29⅝	29⅝
May	30½	30⅝	30¼	30⅜	30⅜
July	29⅝	29⅞	29¼	29⅝	29½
MESS PORK.					
January	.....	.....	.....	13 80	13 77½
May	14 07½	14 17½	14 05	14 12½	14 07½
July	14 27½	14 37½	14 17½	14 22½	14 17½
LARD.					
January	7 47½	7 52½	7 47½	7 52½	7 45
May	7 57½	7 63½	7 57½	7 60	7 57½
July	7 67½	7 75	7 67½	7 72½	7 67½
SHORT RIBS.					
January	7 45	7 45	7 45	7 45	7 40
May	7 55	7 60	7 52½	7 57½	7 50
July	7 70	7 70	7 65	7 67½	7 65

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour dull and weak. No. 2 spring wheat, 83½@84c; No. 3, 79@81c; No. 2 red, 85¼@86¼c; No. 2 corn, 44c; No. 2 yellow, 41¾c; No. 2 oats, 29⅝c; No. 2 white, 32¼c; No. 3 white, 29½@31c; No. 2 rye, 65c; good feeding barley, 33c; fair to choice malting, 45@50c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 07½; No. 1 northwestern, $1 14; prime timothy seed, $3 20; mess pork, per bbl., $13 80@13 85; lard, per 100 lbs., $7 50@7 52½; short ribs sides (loose), $7 37½@7 50; short clear sides (boxed), $7 75@7 87½; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 29; clover, contract grade, $13 25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	48,700	17,300
Wheat, bu.	54,000	24,000
Corn, bu.	272,800	144,900
Oats, bu.	346,500	218,800
Rye, bu.	6,000	.....
Barley, bu.	100,000	16,200

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Flour—Receipts, 15,993 barrels; exports, 121,640 barrels; quiet but steady. Rye flour quiet. Buckwheat flour dull. Buckwheat easy, 61½c, delivered New York. Cornmeal weak; fine white and yellow, $1 15; coarse, $1 02@1 03; kiln-dried, $2 70@2 90. Rye nominal. Barley easy; feeding, 42c, c. i. f., Buffalo. Wheat—Receipts, 166,000 bushels; exports, 107,107 bushels; spot steady; No. 2 red, 90c, elevator; No. 2 red, 92c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 85c, f. o. b., afloat. An early sharp break in wheat, due to bearish world's shipments, lower cables and stop loss selling, yielded at midday to heavy covering and a full recovery, the afternoon market ruling firm. Buying was induced by a bullish visible supply increase, reports of rain in the Argentine and less favorable southwest weather conditions. The market closed ¼c net higher. May, 88¼@90 1-16c, closed 90c; July, 88¼@88⅞c, closed 88½c; September, 86⅝@86⅞c, closed 86¾c. Corn—Receipts, 240,500 bushels; exports, 266,530 bushels; spot easy; No. 2, 54c, elevator, and 55c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 61¼c; No. 2 white, 51c. Option market was without transactions, closing net unchanged. May closed 50¼c; July closed 50¼c, September closed 50½c. Oats—Receipts, 159,000 bushels; exports, 48,133 bushels; spot easy; mixed oats, 26 and 32 pounds, 35½@37½c; natural white, 30 and 32 pounds, 35½@37½c; clipped white, 38 and 40 pounds, 39@40½c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 29.—Wheat—May, 83¼@83⅝c; July, 84⅞@85c. Cash, 84½c; No. 1 northern, 84½c; No. 2 northern, 83¼c. Flour—First patents, $4 20@4 40; second patents, $4 20@4 30; first clears, $3 50@3 60; second clears, $2 45@2 55. Bran—In bulk, $14 50@14 75.

TOLEDO, Jan. 29.—Seed—Clover, cash, January and February, $8 35; March, $8 40; April, $8 30; prime timothy, $1 62; prime alsike, $7 80.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—Close: Wheat—No. 2 red cash, 88@92c; track, 94@94c; May, 82⅝@82¾c; July, 80⅝@80¾c. No. 2 hard, 80@84c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 40¾c; May, 42¼c; July, 42¾c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 31c; May, 30¾c; No. 2 white, 32c.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 29.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 84@85c; No. 2 northern, 81@83c; May, 84¾@84¾c. Rye—No. 1, 68½c. Barley—No. 2, 54½@55c; sample, 39@43c. Corn—May, 44c bid.

DULUTH, Jan. 29.—Close: Wheat—No. 1 northern, 81½c; No. 2 northern, 79½c; May, 83¼c; July, 84½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS,
Monday, January 29, 1906.
STOCK ON SALE.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
J. B. Huff & Co.	6	3½	½
S. R. Hedges & Co.	4	4½	5½
McCall, Rowden & Newb'n	11	8	3
W. & B. Brinkman.....	18	10	2½
L. Dyer & Co.	4	10	5
Joyce	17	4	4
Bush	1	.....	.....
J. Needy & Co.	14	5½	.....
Max Arnold	1	.....	.....
M. Huffman	3	.....	.....
L. Lowenstein & Co.	2	.....	.....
F. A. Schmitz & Bro.	6	.....	.....
Ohio Live Stock Co.	8	8	8½
Totals	96	53½	161½
Last week	164	44½	121½

SHIPMENTS.

	New York.		Phila.		Local.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	
Monday ...	7	11	..	1	..	11	40
Tuesday ..	3	9	..	..	1	8	11
Wednesday	33	4	2	29	4	5	4
Thursday .	5	14	2	29	4	4	1
Friday ...	27	11	..	17	6	2	6
Saturday .	9	46	..	9	4	14	32
Total ...	87	95	4	75	19	32	94
Last week .	170	109	16	87	28	27	109

	29	39	7
Monday ...	6	5	..
Tuesday ..	10	6	1
Wednesday	4	11	5
Thursday .	4	11	..
Friday ...	4	10	..
Saturday .	4	10	..
Total ...	72	102	13
Last week .	92	21	18

SALES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Calves
Monday	3145	8284	3271	455
Tuesday	164	681	375	119
Wednesday ...	62	1823	266	100
Thursday	3	2320	279	77
Friday	3	3169	403	52
Saturday	22	2514	236	126
Totals	3399	19071	4949	931
Last week.....	3398	27244	7703	1561

Cattle.

Receipts, 100 loads; market, 10@20c higher; quotations: Choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs, $5 25@5 50; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs, $5 00@5 20; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $4 65@4 90; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs, $4 40@4 65; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs, $3 75@4 25; common, 700 to 900 lbs, $3 25@3 70; good to choice heifers, $3 75@4 25; common to fair heifers, $2 50@3 50; common to good fat bulls, $2 50@3 85; good fresh cows and springers, $35@50; common to fair, $20@33.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts, 22 double deckers; market steady; quotations: Prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $5 75@6 00; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs, $5 40@5 60; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $4 80@5 25; culls and common, $3 50@4 50; spring lambs, $6 00@7 80; veal calves, $8 50@3 00; heavy and thin, $4 80@5 50.

Hogs.

Receipts, 60 double decks; market active and 10@15c higher. Quotations: Prime heavy and medium hogs, $3 90; Yorkers and pigs, $5 95; roughs, $4 50@5 10; stags, $3 00@4 00.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Beeves—Receipts, 4,142 head; steers low but steady to strong; bulls steady; cows firm. Steers, $4 70@5 75; oxen and stags, $2 60@4 65; bulls, $3 15@4 30; cows, $1 80@3 75; few extra, $3 90. Latest Liverpool and London cables quoted live cattle firm at 10¼@11½c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef steady at 7½@8½c per pound; exports tomorrow, 1,020 head cattle and 4,200 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,435 head; prime and choice veals steady to firm, others slow to 25c lower; barnyard calves, 25c lower; western dull; veals, $5 00@9 50; little calves, $3 50@4 50; barnyard stock, $3 00@3 25; westerns, $3 50@3 75; coarse heavy, $3 50@4 75. Dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, 9@13½c per lb.; extra, 14c; country dressed, 9@12c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,990 head; sheep in light supply and steady; lambs steady to firm; sheep, $3 75@5 75; culls, $3 00@3 50; lambs, $6 75@8 00; choice selected, $8 10@8 12½; culls, $4 75@6 00. Hogs—Receipts, 13,381 head; steady; pigs firmer; state hogs, $5 90@6 20, pigs included.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000 head, including 700 southerns; market steady to strong; choice and dressed beef steers, $5 25@5 90; fair to good, $3 90@5 00; western fed steers, $3 50@5 50; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 85; southern steers, $3 25@4 25; southern cows, $2 25@3 75; native cows, $2 25@4 10; native heifers, $3 00@4 40; bulls, $2 50@3 85; calves, $3 00@7 00. Hogs—Receipts, 8,400 head; market strong to 5c higher; top, $5 50; bulk of sales, $5 40@5 47½; heavy, $5 45@5 50; packers, $5 37½@5 45; pigs and lights, $4 75@5 40. Sheep—Receipts, 13,800 head; market steady to 10c lower; lambs, 10c lower; native lambs, $5 50@7 25; western lambs, $5 50@7 10; ewes and yearlings, $4 25@5 75; western fed yearlings, $5 75@6 20; western fed sheep, $4 50@5 75; stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 75.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 24,000 head; market steady to strong; common to prime steers, $3 40@6 30; cows, $3 00@4 40; heifers, $3 25@5 00; bulls, $2 00@4 00; calves, $3 00@8 00; stockers and feeders, $2 40@3 95. Hogs—Receipts, 45,000 head; market 5@10c higher; choice to prime heavy, $5 55@5 60; medium to good heavy, $5 50@5 55; butchers' weights, $5 50@5 60; good to choice, heavy mixed, $5 50@5 55; packing, $5 20@5 55. Sheep—Receipts, 25,000 head; market 15@20c lower; sheep, $4 00@5 75; yearlings, $6 00@6 50; lambs, $6 50@7 50.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—Hogs active; butchers and shippers, $5 85@5 90; common, $4 55@5 65. Cattle active; fair to good shippers, $4 25@5 10; common, $2 00@3 85. Sheep steady at $3 00@5 50; lambs dull at $4 25@7 50.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Butter irregular; receipts, 2,793 packages; street price, extra creamery, 26@26½c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 17@26c; do held extras, 23@23½c; state dairy, common to extra, 17@24c; renovated, common to extra, 15@20½c; western factory, common to firsts, 15½@18½c; western imitation creamery, extras, 21@21½c; do firsts, 18½@19c. Cheese steady; receipts, 404 boxes; sate full creams, full, small and large colored and white September fancy, 14¼c; do October best, 12¾@13¾c; do late made, small, average best, 12¼c; do large, 12½c; do fair, 11½@12c; skims, full to light, 3¼@11¾c. Eggs irregular; receipts, 8,565 crates; state and Pennsylvania fancy selected white, 24@25c; do choice, 22@24c; do mixed, extra, 20@21c; western firsts, 19c; do seconds, 18@18½c; southerns, 17@19c.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—Butter steady; extra western creamery, 27½c; extra nearby prints, 30c. Eggs weak and 1c lower; nearby fresh, 21c at mark; western fresh, 21c do. Cheese firm. New York full cream fancy, 14¼c; do choice, 13¾@14c; do fair to good, 13@13½c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Butter steady; creameries, 18@25½c; dairies, 18@23c. Eggs weak; at mark, cases included, 15@16c; firsts, 16c; prime firsts, 17c; extras, 19c. Cheese steady at 11¾@13c.

ELGIN, ILL., Jan. 29.—Butter ruled steady and unchanged today at 27c a pound. Output for the week, 420,000 pounds.

LOCAL NESTOR OF P. R. R. TO RETIRE

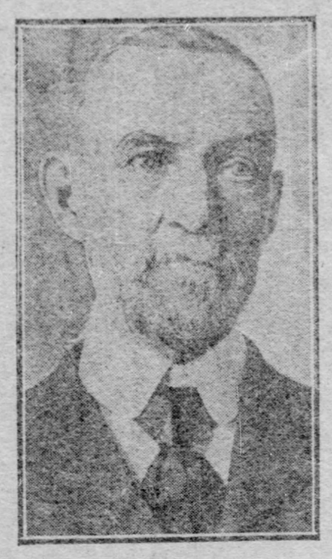
Man Who Gave First Word of Riots Is to Be Pensioned—P. & L. E. Agent Is Promoted.

COAL TRAFFIC MEETING OPENS

William Crowl Hunter, the nestor of Union station terminal employes of the Pennsylvania railroad in Pittsburgh, will retire from active service tomorrow. Mr. Hunter's railroad career in Pittsburgh extends over a period of almost half a century. He has been in continuous service since February 20, 1858, with the exception of three years which he served as a Union soldier in the war of the rebellion. For the past three years he has been librarian at the Union station reading room.

It was when Joseph D. Potts was superintendent of the Pittsburgh division that Mr. Hunter first took service as a brakeman. He continued in this capacity until 1861, when he enlisted in the army. Andrew Carnegie was superintendent when young Hunter enlisted, and when he returned to Pittsburgh after three years of service in the war, Mr. Carnegie offered him a place as conductor. After serving for some time in this capacity he was promoted to yardmaster, in this office he served 30 years. Later he entered the road service as a freight conductor, and from this position was given the easier berth of librarian at the Union station reading room three years ago. He reached the age of 70 years on January 10, and according to the pension rules of the company must be retired at the end of the same month in which his birthday occurs.

One of the most interesting episodes in the life of this veteran was in connection with the riots of 1877. He was then yardmaster at Twenty-sixth street, and under his charge were all the crews operating on the road. One day, the beginning of the riots, a conductor came to him and said that the men refused to go out to work. Mr. Hunter interceded, but being unsuccessful he acquainted the superintendent, Robert Pitcairn, with the situation. The riots were on in due earnest from that moment.



W. C. HUNTER.
Nestor among Union station employes who is to be pensioned.

Big Railroad Coal Rate Meeting.

The annual meeting of the traffic and executive officers of the railroads concerned in the coal and coke traffic from the mines of Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia will begin this morning at the Hotel Schenley, and will probably continue through two or three days. It is at this meeting that the rates are fixed for the transportation of coal from the mines to the various markets, and heretofore much interest has attached to the meeting, which is the largest coal traffic convention of the railroad people in the country. A preliminary meeting was held yesterday.

Fires Cost P. R. R. $455,721.

A circular issued by the Pennsylvania railroad, covering the number, causes and cost of fires on the lines east and west of Pittsburgh in 1905, shows that there were 1,551 fires from all causes, the cost being $455,721.44. The largest number of fires from any one cause was from hiding, of which there were 1,037 caused by hot ashes or metal and bringing an expense of $19,190.04. The largest expense was from two fires in wooden hoekers, causing a loss of $140,75.758. There were 184 fires from engine sparks, causing damage to the extent of $27,148.75.

Another P. & L. E. Promotion.

Circulars have been issued by General Freight Agent Terry of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, announcing the appointment of J. B. Nessle as general agent of the company, with headquarters in Pittsburgh. This is a promotion for Mr. Nessle, he having formerly been commercial agent for the company at Brownsville. No successor for the latter office has been named.

Railroad Notes.

Frank Robinson, former captain of police of the Baltimore & Ohio, spent Sunday in Pittsburgh.

N. P. Ramsey, superintendent of mail service of the Wabash, is in the city conferring with local officers.

Superintendent of Motive Power Turner of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie was in Buffalo on company business.

Col. L. S. Brown, general agent of the Southern, was here from Washington looking up Florida tourist business.

Edward Briggs, chief clerk to Assistant General Freight Agent Coolidge of the Wabash at Cleveland, is in the city.

Superintendent of Motive Power Carson of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania was here from Buffalo.

Vice President Schoonmaker and Treasurer Robinson of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie will leave this evening for the board meeting in New York tomorrow.

It is expected that the Pennsylvania will pay its employes hereafter in cash instead of by check, although no official circular to this effect has been issued.

Chief Engineer Dickson of the Baltimore & Ohio maintenance department, General Superintendent Finney and Superintendent Duer inspected the lines west of Pittsburgh yesterday.

Superintendents McKim of the Western division, Wood of the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus, and Hamilton of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh, all of the Pennsylvania lines west, were in the city.

Official report of the attempt to wreck the Cleveland flyer on the Ft. Wayne, near Ambridge, Sunday evening is to the effect that the steel rail had been placed across the tracks with malicious intent.

Charles M. Miller of Tyrone, a stenographer-operator of the Pennsylvania, has patented an invention for engines taking coal while running at a rate of speed as high as 60 miles an hour, similar to the engines taking water. The device has been submitted to General Manager Atterbury.

The bids for the Justus cut-off of the Wabash between Bolivar and Orrville, O., a distance of 16 miles, are in the hands of Vice President Worthington, and the contract will probably be let this week. The cost will be about $900,000. Work on the Clairton connection will be done by double shift and is to be completed about May 15.

Among the theatrical movements of the Pennsylvania system on Sunday were a special train for the "It Happened in Nordland" company, from St. Louis to Pittsburgh; a special train for the "Prince of India" company, from New York to Chicago, and five special cars for the "Sultan of Sulu" company and the DeWolfe Hopper company, from Cleveland to Pittsburgh.

A. W. Grosvenor, assistant engineer of the Western division of the Pennsylvania company at Ft. Wayne, and W. R. Hilliary, assistant engineer of the Erie & Ashtabula division at New Castle, will be transferred to each other's office, respectively, on Thursday. The change is made for broadening the experience of each man in different types of road work.

GOOSE FEATHERS CAUSE TROUBLE

Owner of "Downy" Bed Claims Renovator Substituted Chicken Feathers.

OVERHOLT ANSWERS SUIT

A suit involving the alleged substitution of chicken feathers for goose feathers was heard before Judge Patton in criminal court yesterday, and several times the air was filled with "downey" particles which floated away when experts handled the stuff on the witness stand. The question was still undecided when court adjourned. Mrs. Dora Greenstein entered the suit, charging R. N. Walton, a feather renovator, with larceny by bailee. She owned a particularly fine goose feather bed, and in giving it to the defendants to renovate told him to "treat the feathers as he would his own." She claims chicken feathers were substituted.

Walter Ludwig pleaded guilty to a charge of entering a building with intent to commit a felony. Ludwig, so it is alleged, entered the store of the Equitable Meter Company on the night of March 22 and, pointing a revolver in the face of the watchman, robbed the cash register. Clara Devine was sent three months to the workhouse and fined $500 and costs for selling liquor illegally and keeping a disorderly house at 212 Grant street.

Judge W. D. Patton of Armstrong county will assist Judges Shafer and Young in criminal court, and three courts will run during the week.

An answer has been filed by P. F. Overholt in the United States circuit court in the suit brought by Sidney F. McKinnon to recover on a note for $10,000. Mr. Overholt says he gave a note to Ross M. Turner, treasurer of the International Mercantile Agency, and whether this is the note he doubts. The note was to pay for 100 shares of the International company's stock; he demands proof that the company is a legal organization, and believes that the stock was fraudulently increased. He also asserts that $1,200,000 of the common stock was given to one McCauley for the assets of the Mutual Mercantile Agency, for which McCauley had paid $7,500, and that McCauley was engaged to sell the stock at 47 per cent commission, which he says was illegal. He asserts that the payment for stock by notes is illegal and that the company endeavored to evade the law by making over the notes to other persons.

The commissioner's report in the divorce suit of Mrs. Effie Perly Varley against Albert E. Varley was filed. They were married in Youngstown August 10, 1901, and lived last in Homestead park, Mifflin township. Mrs. Varley says her husband began to abuse her a month after their marriage; that he kicked her, beat her and called her names. She was in Mercy hospital for five months with a burned arm, and after she came home he struck the injured arm so hard that a skin grafting operation had to be repeated. He struck her once while she was ill and her child was born with a black and blue mark on the right eye. He would throw dishes off the table, stand over her while she picked them up and then threw them off again. He deserted her finally in December, 1904. A divorce was granted to Eliza E. Colvin from Harry A. Colvin.

The formal decree of distribution in the estate of J. O. Brown was amended by orphans' court in accordance with the supreme court's decision allowing the claim of Nattie W. McLean for one-half of the proceeds of Colonial Trust Company stock. Nattie McLean's original claim was for $27,026 and this, with interest, costs and dividends, brings the total claim now to $28,561.96, leaving a balance of $14,733.04 for distribution among the general creditors, including Mrs. Bessie Crafts' claim of $1,635. This is distributed among the creditors pro rata on this account, Mrs. Crafts receiving $987.05.

The case against Capt. W. A. Griscomb of Company H, Fourteenth regiment, N. G. P., was nolle prossed in criminal court on payment of the costs. He had been accused of embezzling $320 given by the state for disbursement.

Conrad Dippel entered suit against Valentine Ehmer for $10,000 and had a capias issued for his arrest, representing to the court that he believed the defendant, unless put under bail, would leave the jurisdiction of the court. The plaintiff avers that the defendant forged his name to a note.

John Emanuel has answered Henry Clark's suit for an accounting of a partnership. He denies the plaintiff's right to an accounting, saying the plaintiff abandoned the partnership a few days after the execution of the agreement between them.

In a voluntary petition in bankruptcy William V. Hart gives his assets as $85 and liabilities $6,856.62. The former consists of a ring and a pair of cuff buttons, and he says he has not enough money to pay the necessary fees.

Ferdinand Bezdek secured a preliminary injunction against the Pittsburgh & Butler Street Railway Company restraining it in the construction of its road on the Butler turnpike. He alleges it is encroaching on his property.

Train Hits Auto, Killing Two.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Jan. 29.—Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Dye of Louisville were struck and instantly killed by a passenger train on the Southern railway this morning at Buechel station. The doctor and his wife were in an automobile.

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Light Producers and Dusters Respond to Drill in Southwest

Deep sand wells in the lower southwest districts are not making a creditable showing. The late wells drilled in are showing for light producers or dusters. In the Wallace district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the Frank C. Dean farm through the Gordon and the hole has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid. It will be given a shot today. In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the same company has drilled its No. 7 on the L. D. Morgan farm through the fourth sand and has a light show of oil and gas. In the same district the test on the T. H. Dawson farm has been drilled 50 feet into the Big Injun and has no show for a producer at that depth in the sand.

In the Bula district, Monongalia county, the South Penn company has drilled No. 2 on the W. J. Wise farm through the Gordon and found no oil or gas. It is now drilling in the top of the fourth sand. The same company has drilled its No. 4 on the Isaac Lemley farm through the Big Injun and found nothing but a gas pressure. It is now drilling to the Gordon. In the Middlebourne district, Tyler county, the South Penn company has drilled its second test on the Anderson Stealy farm through the Big Injun and it produced 25 barrels the first 24 hours. East of Middlebourne the same company's No. 3 on the Isaiah Baker farm has been drilled into the Maxon sand and is good for 5 or 10 barrels a day. Near the state line in Greene county the South Penn company has completed No. 2 on the William Pettit farm and it produced 25 barrels the first 36 hours.

Near Sedalia, Doddridge county, the Hope Natural Gas Company has completed a test on the Hannis Taylor farm and has a light gasser in the Gordon. Near the dividing line between Marion and Harrison counties the South Penn company has drilled its test on the Caleb Moore farm through all sands and has a duster. In the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the same company has drilled No. 3 on the M. M. Camden farm through the Berea grit and has a duster. Only 10 feet of sand was found at this well.

On the Ohio side, in the Woodsfield district, the Fisher Oil Company has completed its No. 2 on the John Duffy farm and has a show for a 15-barrel producer in the Berea grit. In the same district the Pure Oil Company's No. 4 on the Dora Bumgartner farm has been completed and is good for 50 barrels a day from the same formation. The same company has drilled its No. 2 on the E. F. Christman farm through the Berea grit and has a producer good for 60 barrels a day.

The new Berea grit well, near Bells Valley, Noble township, Noble county, is attracting considerable attention. The well is owned by Chris McKee and is his second test on the Otis Ralph farm. The location is about 2,000 feet southwest of a fair producer on the Willey farm and is good for 20 barrels a day. This is better than anything previously completed in that district. Development work will now be active on the southwest line, and it is expected better wells will be found than at any time in the past. Near Leetsdale, Columbiana county, P. B. Hyland has drilled his test on the Hum farm through the Berea grit and has a duster. This well is a wildcat, located in the vicinity of the wells drilled two years ago in a futile effort to open a new pool.

Near Whetton in Sycamore valley, Monroe county, D. H. Cox & Co.'s No. 1 on the D. W. Hutcheson farm is holding up at 60 barrels a day. In the same district McCallop & Co. have drilled their test on the Pabst farm through the Cow Run sand and have a show for a 5-barrel pumper. The Pure Oil Company is down 1,400 feet at a test on the Duncan farm. The Consolidated Oil and Mining Company is rigging up a test on the Kestner farm.

In the Georgetown district, Beaver county, Wm. Galey, Ritchie & Ewing have completed a second test on the Smith C. Shane farm and have a very light pumper. In the same district the Calhoun Oil Company has completed No. 2 J. M. Calhoun and has a 15-barrel pumper in the Berea grit.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
January 27.....	69,976	January 26.....	88,282
Previously	1,795,519	Previously	1,556,703
Total	1,865,488	Total	1,644,985
Daily average..	69,092	Daily average..	63,276

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
January 27.....	54,504	January 26.....	56,654
Previously	1,656,588	Previously	1,059,760
Total	1,710,092	Total	1,056,754
Daily average..	63,337	Daily average..	42,144

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields:

Pennsylvania, $1.58; Plume, $1.61; Second Sand, $1.85; Cabell, $1.18; Corning, $1.16; New Castle, $1.25; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 82c; Indiana, 89c; Somerset, 85c; Ragland, 85c; Corsicana, 91c.

The Producers and Refiners' Company quotes $1.58 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, Jan. 29.—Credit balances, $1.58. Shipments, 130,986 barrels; average, 68,894 barrels; runs, 125,147 barrels; average, 62,282 barrels. Shipments, Lima, 124,975 barrels; average, 63,537 barrels; runs, 83,124 barrels; average, 41,-583 barrels.

TOLEDO, Jan. 29.—Oil—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

A Strong Combination.

Marshall H. Reno, founder of the Reno Shorthand school of this city, announces that Prof. Edwin A. Hall of Hall's Business college, has been admitted into partnership.

Prof. Hall is one of the most widely and favorably known educators in the country, and becomes an active member of the faculty of the Reno Shorthand school, which will soon occupy its magnificent new quarters in the Wabash station building in Liberty avenue.

The Reno Shorthand school has been compelled to seek larger quarters four times during the past five years, and its new location in the Wabash will be sufficiently large to meet the growing needs of the institution.

Grand Jury Returns.

The grand jury returned true bills yesterday in the following cases: Robbery, Irwin Anderson; felony, W. L. Graham, Clarence Cass; felonious assault, Nettie Borani, "Mike" Chismer; false pretense, E. A. Cawley; entering a building, George Castille et al, Charles Jackson; larceny, Martin Brown et al, Charles Gallagher, Harry Mosley, Barney Moskal; assault and battery, "Con" Barrett, Margaret King; misdemeanor, Lizzie Kechner; larceny by bailee, L. Goldstein, H. Cooperman; receiving stolen goods, Mary Dixon; carrying concealed weapons, Antonio Massi.

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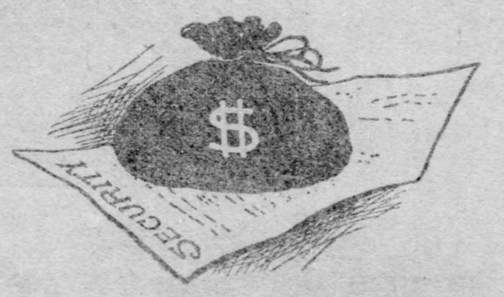

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CLEVELAND *3.15 am *5.40 am *7.50 am *8 am *1 pm *1.30 pm *5 pm *11 pm.

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CINCINNATI *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

LOUISVILLE *4.50 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

COLUMBUS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *12.30 pm *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

TOLEDO AND DETROIT *11.30 am *8.50 pm.

ERIE *7.35 am *4.30 pm *6.10 pm.

JAMESTOWN *6.30 am *7.35 am †12 pm †4.30 pm †6.10 pm.

NEW CASTLE *6.30 am *7.30 am *7.35 am †12 pm †4.30 pm †6.10 pm *7.30 pm *8.30 pm †10.25 pm †6.10 pm.

ASHTABULA *9.30 am *4.30 pm.

YOUNGSTOWN *7.30 am *8.30 am *1.30 pm *4.30 pm.

AKRON *8.15 am †6.40 am *7.30 am *8 am *5 pm *11 pm.

BARBERTON †6.40 am *7.30 am *8 am.

WHEELING *6.50 am *8.20 am †11.30 am *5.35 pm *7 pm.

MEECER and OIL CITY †7.35 am †4.20 pm.

BELLAIRE †6.40 am †5.05 am †1 pm †5.02 pm †7.35 am †6.10 pm.

ALLIANCE †4.50 am *8 am *1.55 pm A 8.25 pm *5 pm.

WASHINGTON, PA., †6 am †9 am †9.45 am †1.20 pm †2 pm †4.10 pm †5.05 pm †6.15 pm †10.20 pm 12.05 am† 12.15 pm 79.20 pm.

STEUBENVILLE (Pan-Handle Route) *5.40 am †8.25 am †2.30 pm †4.20 pm †11 pm †11.55 am. (C. & P. Div.) †6.40 am †6.05 am †1 pm †4.02 pm †5.05 pm †7.35 am †5.10 pm.

*Daily. †Week days. ‡Sundays. A Lv. Allegheny.

NEW YORK CENTRAL LINES

Pittsburgh & Lake Erie R. R. Cleveland Short Line.

Schedule in Effect June 25, 1905.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago, Toledo & Detroit..	* 7.15 am	* 8.35 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 9.15 am	* 6.30 pm
Cleveland & Youngstown Ex.	* 9.15 am	* 5.00 pm
Buffalo Limited.....	* 9.00 am	* 3.00 pm
Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit.	*12.35 pm	* 8.35 pm
Cleveland & Chautauqua....	* 9.00 am	*12.15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express..	*12.35 pm	* 8.35 pm
Lake Chautauqua, Fast Line	*12.35 pm	* 6.30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express.....	* 5.00 pm	*10.00 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.....	* 2.30 pm	*12.15 pm
Boston Special.....	* 1.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.15 pm	*11.35 pm
Chicago Limited.....	* 6.15 pm	* 6.35 am
Buffalo Express.....	*12.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Cleveland Night Express....	*11.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Youngstown Local.....	† 5.30 am	* 9.00 am
Beaver Falls Local.....	† 6.45 am	† 8.35 am
Beaver Falls Local.....	† 1.10 pm	† 3.20 am
Beaver Falls Local.....	† 3.50 pm	†12.10 pm
New Castle Local.....	†11.55 am	† 4.15 pm
New Castle Express.....	† 4.20 pm	† 7.30 pm
New Castle Express.....	† 9.30 am	† 1.10 pm
Beaver Falls Express.....	† 5.25 pm	† 6.30 am
Beaver Valley Local.....	† 8.00 pm	† 6.45 am
Brownsville Local.....	† 6.10 am	† 7.00 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex...	† 2.00 pm	* 6.00 pm
McKeesport & Brownsville..	†11.50 am	†11.40 am
Brownsville & New Haven..	* 3.50 pm	* 4.55 pm
Brownsville Express.....	* 7.20 pm	* 8.05 pm
Brownsville Express.....	†10.30 pm	† 1.20 pm

F., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, †5.20 a. m., †9.20 a. m., †1.10 p. m. *Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

City ticket office, 357 Fifth ave., Park Bldg.

J. B. YOHE, Gen. Supt. L. A. ROBINSON, Gen. Pass. Agent. Pittsburgh, Pa.

RIVER PACKETS.

Pittsburgh and Cincinnati Packet Line.

Strs. for Wheeling, Marietta, Parkersburg, Gallipolis, Huntington, Ironton, Portsmouth, Cincinnati, Louisville, Memphis, St. Louis and way landings. Leave wharfboat foot Wood St. as follows: Str. Virginia, Monday at 4 p. m.; Queen City, Wednesday at 4 p. m.; Keystone State, Saturday at 4 p. m. Fare—Pgh. to Cin., $7; round trip, $14, meals, berth included; down by boat, return by rail, $14. For freight or passage apply to Jas. A. Henderson, General Manager, Tel. 1702 Court, Pittsburgh.

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Semi-Weekly Packet for WHEELING, MARIETTA, PARKERSBURG and all way landings. STEAMER BEN HUR, H. C. Donnally, master, leaves Patterson's wharfboat every Monday at 12 m. and Thursday at 4 p. m. Fine passenger and freight accommodations. S. R. Patterson & Co., Geo. B. Ghriest, Agents, 307 Water street.

RAILROADS.

Trains leave on Eastern Standard Time.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Pennsylvania Special, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York.....12.54 a. m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York.....12.55 a. m.
Keystone Express, daily..... 3.00 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily..... 6.45 a. m.
New York Limited, daily..... 7.05 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily..... 7.30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily..... 8.00 a. m.
Buffalo Day Express, daily, for Buffalo ..... 9.00 a. m.
Day Express, daily..... 12.01 p. m.
Mail Express, daily, for Baltimore and Washington ..... 12.45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily, for Baltimore and Washington ..... 4.50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily, for Philadelphia and New York..... 4.55 p. m.
New York Express, daily..... 7.10 p. m.
Philadelphia and Washington Express, daily ..... 9.00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York, Baltimore and Washington...10.00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily, for Philadelphia only. Sleeping cars only...10.00 p. m.
Buffalo Night Express, daily, for Buffalo ..... 11.00 p. m.

For Oil City, 6.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05 and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week-days.

For Du Bois, 6.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.30 and 5.05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 5.05 p. m.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 6.15, 8.20 a. m., 12.30 and 5.07 p. m. week-days, 9.00 a. m. and 4.56 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m., 4.40 p. m. week-days and 4.30 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville only, 6.15, 8.20, 9.15 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 7.20 and 11.35 p. m. week-days; 7.00, 9.50 a. m. and 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 1.05 and 3.25 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Bellevernon, 6.15, 8.20, 9.15, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.40 (5.25 to Monongahela City), 7.20 and 11.35 p. m. week-days. Sunday, 7.00, 9.50 a. m., 1.05, 4.20, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m.

For Butler, 8.05 and 6.10 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY:

For Butler, 6.50, 8.25, 10.55 a. m., 2.26 and 5.45 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00 a. m., 9.20 p. m.

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Trains leave B. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard time), for Conneaut, O., Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut Lake at 8.15 a. m. and 1.15 p. m.; for Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Keister at 8.15 a. m., 1.15 and 7.00 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday.

E. D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

WABASH SYSTEM

Central Time—Daily	Depart	Arrive
Toledo, St. L., Kansas City.....	8.00 am	6.30 pm
Wheeling Express.....	8.00 am	7.05 pm
St. L. Chicago, Kansas City	10.30 pm	7.25 am